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LOCAL NEWS.

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news and so, you'll see it in the
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School Anniversary Calendar.

Friday, June 20. PHILLIPS ACADEMY.
Entrance examinations, at 9 a. m.
Public schools close.

PURCHARD HALL. Reception to Senior
class by F. F. S. A. A., at 8 p. m.

Saturday, June 21. ABBOT HALL. 35th
Draper Reading, at 7.45.

Sunday, June 22. SOUTH CHURCH.
Baccalaureate sermon to senior class of Ab-
bot academy by Prof. John Winthrop Plafner,
at 10.30 a. m.

Monday, June 23. ABBOT ACADEMY.
Senior Lawn Party, at 6 p. m.

ABBOT ACADEMY HALL. Musical by pu-
pils of Prof. Brown, at 8.45.

Tuesday, June 24. ABBOT ACADEMY
HALL. Class Day Exercises at 10 a. m.

SOUTH CHURCH. Graduation Exercises,
senior class of Abbot, with address by Dean
Rogers, at 11 a. m.

ABBOT ACADEMY HALL. Lunch, at 1 p. m.
Alumni meeting at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Mary A. Toby has gone to Maine
for the summer.

Miss Clara Thomson has returned
from Smith College.

David Smith of Melrose, visited his
father, John L. Smith, on Monday.

John H. Flint and Mrs. Flint left for
Newcastle, N. H., today, for the summer.

Mrs. Clark Carter and daughter, Miss
Mabel, are visiting friends in Hartford,
Conn.

Dana Clark has been engaged to take
George Prescott's place at Chase's news
stand.

Harry A. Ramsdell, who is at the
Essex County club for the summer, was
in town Monday.

Miss Susie Wesselhoeft of Boston has
been visiting Miss Ruth Garland at her
home in Frye Village.

James C. Wittet attended the 25th
reception and reunion of the high school
alumni at Marion on Tuesday.

Miss Cornelia Gould has been attend-
ing a class reunion at Smith college this
week and will see the Harvard-Yale
boat race.

There are no developments in the
small pox situation. All the patients
are doing well and no new cases have
been discovered.

The Harvard-Yale game was to have
been played in Cambridge, yesterday,
but was postponed until today on ac-
count of the rain.

The furniture of Prof. George F. Moore
was moved by B. B. Tuttle, Saturday, to
Cambridge, where Prof. Moore will make
his home in the future.

George A. B. Prescott has left the em-
ployment of O. P. Chase to accept a po-
sition as billing clerk at the Tye
Rubber Company's office.

Lightning struck the big elm tree,
near Timothy Abbott's during the sud-
den shower Monday afternoon, which
was experienced in only a portion of the
town.

The season of the big strawberry has
again arrived. George A. Christie
brought one into this office Monday,
picked from his own garden, measuring
five inches in circumference.

Myron E. Gutterson gave a fine supper
to the basketball and baseball teams at
Punchard at the school building Tues-
day evening. Caterer Walter Rhodes
served a tempting spread. After the
supper the evening was spent in various
forms of amusement.

The marriage is announced of Miss
Caroline Boardman Faxon to Mr. Den-
man Blanchard. The ceremony took
place in Calvary church, New York City
on June 17th. Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard
after an extended western trip will re-
side at Elmcroft, North Andover.

Arthur White, a former resident of
this place, but who for the past thirteen
years has made his home in Colorado,
has been visiting his brother, Charles L.
White, superintendent of Marlard mills.
Mr. White was at one time book-
keeper at Smith & Manning's store and
while living here was a leader of the
Andover Brass band, playing clarinet.

A very enjoyable birthday gathering
was that which occurred at Timothy
Abbott's last Saturday afternoon. Be-
tween the hours of four and six in honor
of the 84th anniversary of Mrs. Thomas
Clark, Mr. Abbott's sister. About 50
were present, including friends from
Medford and Melrose. The house was
prettily decorated for the occasion with
flowers. Mrs. Clark received many beau-
tiful flowers and other gifts of remem-
brance from her guests. Refreshments
were served by Walter Rhodes.

Mrs. E. F. Holt has purchased Mr.
Carpenter's house on Bartlett street. B.
M. Allen, of the Academy Faculty who
has lived there four years removing now
to his own residence, on the same street,
bought of Mrs. Jonas Spaulding. Mr.
and Mrs. Holt, who have kept a pleasant
home for teachers and others on School
street for several years, purpose now to
open the larger house on Bartlett street
for summer guests as well as for fur-
nishing rooms and board to teachers and
students during the school year. The
property was sold through Barnett
Rogers.

Sale—3000 yards fancy lawn remnants
special patterns, 25c quality, 12 1-2c per
yard, at Farr's Remnant store, 9 Law-
rence street, Lawrence.

Tea will be served at the Golf Club
house Saturday, from 4 to 6.

Y. W. S. C. lawn party at H. H. Hill's
Elm street, next Friday evening.

Many people from town attended the
circus at Lawrence, Wednesday night.

William P. Shapleigh had his watch
stolen at the circus Wednesday evening.

Parker Goodrich attended the 250th an-
niversary celebration in Danvers, Tues-
day.

Willie Poland participated in Charles
Naylor's piano recital at Methuen, Mon-
day night.

"Tommy" Burke and Ralph Davis, old
Andover boys, now at Princeton, have
been in town this week.

Ex-Chief Engineer David Smith of
Washington, D. C., is in town visiting
his brother, John L. Smith.

Walter Rhodes furnished a fine spread
at the Past Master's night of St. Mat-
thews Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Monday
evening.

G. A. Christie, William Scott and Wil-
liam Counts participated in the Cantata
given at the Second Baptist church, Law-
rence, last evening.

On account of illness, Miss French will
not give her reading at Abbot Academy,
this evening, for the benefit of the Mc-
Keen Memorial fund.

Patrick English has purchased the
Denison lot on High street through the
agency of Barnett Rogers, and plans are
out for a double house.

Rev. F. R. Shipman has been travel-
ing through the state on business for
the State Congregational association by
which he has been appointed an agent.

Beginning June 23, and continuing
throughout the summer, all the grocery
stores in town will close every night dur-
ing the week, except Saturday, at 6
o'clock.

Members of the local Post and Relief
Corps witnessed the Performance of
"The Drummer Boy" or "The Spy of
Shiloh" at the Boston Theatre, Boston,
last evening.

Owing to a press of work the Towns-
man found it impossible to publish the
Toll Tale for the summer this week, but
will do so next week. The revised time
table may be found in this week's issue.

Henry A. Bodwell and Walter Lamont
participated in the invitation meet of the
Medford boat club on Mystic lake, Ar-
lington, Tuesday afternoon, as repre-
sentatives of the Lawrence canoe club. Other
members of the club and friends from
town were present at the race.

Miss Jean Y. Middleton of Philadel-
phia and Miss Brown of Newark, N. J.,
have been visiting Mrs. David Middleton
in Frye Village, this week. Miss Middle-
ton has been attending the librarians' con-
ference in Boston. She is librarian
of the apprentices library in Phila-
delphia.

On Friday evening, June 27, the Y. W.
S. C. of the Baptist church will hold a
lawn party and sale at the home of H. H.
Hill, Elm street. The proceeds will be
devoted to church work and all are cor-
dially invited to be present and enjoy
themselves. No admission fee will be
asked.

The Phillips Academy decorations
this year were remarkable for their
beauty and originality of design. Every-
thing was perfect, from the arches and
columns of the Chapel, dressed in living
green, to the rose covered mound in the
cemetery, over which the blue and
white banner floated.

Dr. James A. Bryer, who was one of
the automobilists who came to Andover
June 7, the day of the fatal accident at
Reading, testified at an inquest Monday,
that the horse was not frightened by an
automobile but was driven recklessly.
This story was corroborated by a phy-
sician who witnessed the accident. No
report of the finding has been made
public as yet.

Sale—3000 yards, fancy lawn remnants
special patterns, 25c quality, 12 1-2c per
yard, at Farr's Remnant Store, 9 Law-
rence street, Lawrence.

Miss Arline Manning graduated from
Bradford Academy this year.

H. F. Chase and family spent Saturday,
Sunday and Monday in Weathersfield,
Vt.

George White attended the funeral
of a cousin in Newmarket, N. H., Wed-
nesday.

The Post Office was closed on Tuesday,
June 17, during the regular holiday
hours.

Miss Mary King Marland has com-
pleted her year's studies at Wellesley
college.

Sec'y Burton S. Flagg of the Merri-
mack Mutual, is on a business trip to
Onset today.

Barnett Rogers has sold Ovid Chap-
man's double house on Locke street to
W. H. Ware, a music teacher of Law-
rence.

Leo Bowman, the three year old son
of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowman, fell
out of a cart Monday and broke his left
arm badly.

Those desiring Cornell scholarships at
Phillips and Abbot should make their
application to Superintendent C. F. Pal-
mer at once.

According to recent rules of the
Boston & Maine road, their ticket of-
fices are to be kept open on holidays un-
til midnight.

Supt. Palmer of the public schools will
attend the reunion of his class at Har-
vard at Cambridge next Monday, Tues-
day and Wednesday.

Mrs. Barrow, whose husband is pro-
prietor of the Twin Mountain House,
N. H., has been visiting Mrs. F. A.
Goodhue, this week.

The game between Punchard and Law-
rence high, which could not be played
Monday or Thursday, on account of the
rain, will be played next Wednesday.

Fred A. Well of Meadville, Pa., where
he is a student at the Unitarian Theo-
logical Seminary, was in town Thursday.
He will preach at the Unitarian church,
North Andover, next Sunday.

Physical Instructor H. D. Bellis of
Phillips Academy has resigned his po-
sition and will study medicine. Mr.
Bellis was a valuable man for the ac-
ademy and his place will not be an easy
one to fill.

D. D. G. M. Albert S. Manning of the
10th Masonic district, W. M. William A.
Allen of St. Matthews lodge, A. F. and
A. M., and other members, attended the
100th anniversary exercises of Merri-
mack lodge, Haverhill, on Wednesday.

Considerable complaint has been
made about bicycle riding on sidewalks
and the police will arrest all violators of
this law who can be captured. Chief
Frye hopes that a warning will be suf-
ficient, but he says that if the practice
continues he will be forced to make an
example of some one.

On Sunday morning next at the Bat-
tist church, the pastor will preach to St.
Matthews lodge, A. F. and A. M. There
will be music by the Raymond Quartet
and Miss Stone. In the evening will oc-
cur the second service in the series on
the Lord's Prayer—with special respon-
sive service and hymns.

An auction sale of the grass on the
Haywood land at Ballardvale, near the
old ice houses, will be held by Barnett
Rogers tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.
A similar sale will be held by him on
the farm of the late A. L. Batchelder,
North Reading, Wednesday next, at 2.30
p. m.

Walter Rhodes was injured while try-
ing to stop his horse, which ran away
Wednesday afternoon while Mr. Rhodes
was loading a wagon with chairs and
tables that had been used at a spread in
Punchard hall. A chair fell off the load,
starting the horse, which ran down Pun-
chard avenue towards Main street. Mr.
Rhodes was running beside the horse
trying to stop him but in some way his
foot slipped and he fell, the wagon run-
ning over his ankle, which was badly
sprained. He was otherwise bruised
but received no serious injuries. The
horse detached itself from the wagon
near Dr. Hulme's but neither animal nor
wagon received any especial damages.

Have you seen them?

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BALLARDVALE.

Ballardvale Churches.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Edwin Smith, Pastor. Services for Sunday, June 22.

10:30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.

Sunday school to follow.

7:00 p. m. Union C. E. meeting with short address by the pastor.

7:30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. B. A. Crampton, pastor. Services for Sunday, June 22.

10:30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.

Sunday School to follow.

6:00 p. m. Epworth League Meeting.

7:00 p. m. Praise service with short address by the pastor.

7:30 p. m. Friday evening prayer meeting.

Thomas J. Burke of Princeton University, spent Wednesday with friends in the Vale.

Miss Grace Clemons leaves town Saturday to visit her aunt in Hyannis.

C. A. Pickett of Bedford, was the guest Sunday of Rev. Edwin Smith.

Mrs. J. W. Piper of Somerville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edwin Smith.

Miss Mary Johnson spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Edward Castle, in Watford, N. H.

Miss Emma Stocks of Bradford, has been the guest for several days of Miss Nellie Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Belcher of Portland, Me., are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Matthews will sail for England July 2, on the steamer New England.

Melville Smith left town last Monday to accept a position for the summer as clerk at the Rangeley Lake house, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grandy and daughter of Haverhill, were the guests Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Clukey.

Four of the local Good Templars attended the session of Essex Lodge, held in Newburyport, June 17. They report a very interesting session.

Mrs. Frank Wanson and daughter, Constance, of Gloucester, have been the guests for several days of the former's sister, Mrs. Addison P. Wanson, High street.

The Ballardvales will play their second game of the season with the Westvales of Lawrence, on the Plains next Saturday afternoon. The local team will play in their new suits.

John Palmer accepted the contract to deliver the *Herald, Globe, Journal* and *Post* in Lowell from the Vale. The papers must be delivered in Lowell on or before 6 o'clock.

Miss Mary C. Parker, who is a relative of Edward Brooks, one of the unfortunate victims of the recent automobile accident, attended Mr. Brooks' funeral, which was held in Reading last Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ruby S. Copeland, a popular school teacher, will sail next Tuesday, June 24, for England on the Ivernia of the Cunard line. Her many Vale friends all unite in wishing her a safe passage.

The graduation exercises of the class of 1902 were held in the Bradlee school Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The following excellent program was given: Song by the school; violin solo, Jeannie Donovan; recitation, "Charge of the Hussars," Rose Wheatley; presentation of diplomas by Superintendent of Schools Palmer; farewell song by school.

The kou wood which is used in the head board is pierced for nine panels all of which are of kaula, polished to the highest degree. Surmounting this board, which will be placed between the high posts will be a great crown, supported on either side by sheaves of fern leaves.

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LAWRENCE

Mrs. Fred Cuthill and daughter, Marion, of 82 Spruce street, leave June 24 on a visit to Scotland.

Halpin Ingram, Henry L. Wadsworth, and Winifred Taylor returned Saturday from a canoeing trip to Cushing.

Miss Helen Lang of South Lawrence celebrated the occasion of her birthday at her home on Farnham street Saturday.

Thomas Hartley and daughter of Arlington Heights, Methuen, sail on the Umbria, June 24, on a visit to the old country.

Miss Elizabeth McInnis of this city, formerly employed in the millinery department of the Reid & Hughes establishment, sails for Europe on the 24th of June.

The tea at the Merrimack Valley Country club Saturday afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Shattuck, Jr.

Miss Annie Shattuck, Mrs. E. Frank Lewis and Mrs. Andrew C. Stone, a large number were present. Mr. Howlett, director of the recent minstrel show, was a guest. He says he is preparing a show for next year that will be a "winner."

Members of the H. S. Whist club were royally entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. W. B. King and Mrs. W. D. Currier at the former's camp, King villa, Haggett's pond, Andover.

The ladies who went by train were met at the Haggett's pond station and driven to the camp. During the afternoon a large number of whist was played on the piazza, which extends out over the water. Mrs. W. H. Forbes was high scorer and Mrs. C. I. Williams secured consolation. Luncheon was afterwards served and the members expressed themselves as highly delighted with their outing, during which the members fully maintained their reputation for sociability.

P. G. Fifield has resigned as overseer of the repair shop of the Arlington mill.

Detective Sergeant McCarthy of Chicago is visiting his cousin Frank McManus, at the latter's home on Morton street.

James Toomey of Bradford street, wool agent for E. Frank Lewis, has gone to Ireland where he will spend several months.

The Rev. James T. O'Reilly, O. S. A., pastor of St. Mary's church, left this city Sunday for Philadelphia, where he will make a short visit.

Thomas Kennedy of Park street, employed by the Armour company in Worcester, has returned to this city after a visit to his relatives. Mr. Kennedy was formerly in the employ of the late M. J. English.

The nomination of the officers of the Quindaro lodge, K. of P., will be held at the next meeting. A number of members of the lodge have associated themselves with the endowment rank. The members of the lodge are much interested in this department of the order.

The semi-annual election of officers of Division 8, A. O. H., which ordinarily would have taken place Sunday afternoon, has been postponed until September.

Mrs. Belle Paige has returned to her home at Melvin's Mill, N. H.

Larry Stanton of Bradford street has gone to Nantasket for the summer.

Mr. T. A. Knowlton of South street is spending a few weeks at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. M. A. Burns and Walter Burns of Haverhill street, have gone to Atlantic city.

Lieut. and Inspector of Rifle Practice John T. Golden has returned home from an inspection of the camp grounds at Lakeville, where the 8th and 9th regiments will encamp, July 12.

The officers for the ensuing six months were elected at Monday night's meeting of Loyola Victoria lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U. The officers elect are: Noble grand, Harry Robinson; vice-grand, Andrew Halstead; elective secretary, George Howarth; delegate, Fred Wilkinson; chaplain, James Boyd; conductor, Mr. Richards. Following the installation of officers which took place July 7 in St. George's hall a collation will be served.

Will not build new road.

It is stated that the Haverhill & Andover street railway company has decided not to build the proposed line from Andover to Haverhill, via Elm street in Andover and that the company will remove its crusher which had been placed in position near the Plato Estate in Andover, to Haverhill at once.

The company failed to construct the line within the time set by the original franchise, which was, in consequence, revoked by the Andover selectmen. The Andover town officials however at a recent meeting drew up a set of restrictions, intimating that if the company would agree to them another franchise would be granted. Although the selectmen have received no official notification of the decision of the street railway company not to accept the conditions, the fact that the crusher is to be removed, is regarded as conclusive evidence that the project of building the new road has been abandoned, as it was rather an expensive job to put the crusher where it is at present.

Mixed foursomes.

One of the best mixed-foursomes which has ever been held at the Merrimack Valley Country grounds was played on the links Tuesday afternoon. The list of entries was large, and the size of the gallery was extremely gratifying.

The contest resulted in a tie, the two couples making the same net score of 107, being Miss M. Tankard and Paul Coburn, and Miss Beatrice Twiss and L. D. Norton.

Cups were offered as prizes, but owing to the tie there was no award made yesterday afternoon. The playoff will take place at a later date, to be agreed upon. It is sure to be interesting and exciting, and a large attendance is expected when the final contest takes place. The date will be announced as soon as it is decided upon.

Entries are beginning to come in freely for the open handicap stroke competition which will take place on Saturday afternoon. A large attendance is looked for at this contest.

The complete score of yesterday's contest follows:

Gross Handicap Net

Miss M. Tankard, 114 7 107

Paul Coburn, 114 7 107

Miss Beatrice Twiss, 119 12 107

L. D. Norton, 119 12 107

Miss Augusta Cheney, 113 5 108

James Lanigan, Jr., 113 5 108

Mrs. W. W. Gowing, 131 21 110

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J. C. Decker, 124 13 111

Miss Elsie Nevins, 124 13 111

Fred Leighton, 128 12 116

Miss N. Tankard, 128 9 119

Roland Sherman, 128 9 119

Miss Maymie I. Fieles, 138 18 120

J. J. McManey, 143 21 124

Dr. F. W. Kennedy, 143 21 124

Mrs. Jos. Shattuck, Jr., 140 14 128

Joseph Shattuck, Jr., 140 14 128

Mrs. A. L. Cole, 140 14 128

A. L. Cole (No card)

MADE A FINE SHOWING.

MEDFORD, June 17.—Two thousand people, the guests of the Medford Boat club, at its invitation meet on upper Mystic lake this afternoon, saw the Wawbewaw club's four paddle the fastest half mile ever done on flat water. She time was 3m. 32-25s., and weather conditions were anything but favorable.

The Lawrence Canoe club four made a splendid race coming in a close second. The Lawrence crew had the outside course, having stronger wind to paddle against, and a larger distance to go.

It was a good race, nevertheless, and in this respect comparable only with the contest of the high school fairs, for the Lawson intercollegiate trophy, a cup fashioned in bronze, used in the plating of the dismantled defender Independence.

Previous to the club four record made by Wawbewaw yesterday, the best record was held by the Lawrence club. This mark was a half-mile in a meet at Lawrence a year ago, but on a calm river and with the current.

The figure 3:32 2-5, therefore, breaks the record, according to the rules of the American Canoeing association governing four contests.

Previous to the best known canoeing organizations in Eastern Massachusetts participated in the invitation meet, the Innitow Canoe club of Woburn, the Wawbewaw Canoeing association of Auburndale, the Quinobegun Canoe club of Worcester, the Lawrence Canoe club and the Winchester Boat club.

The Tattasits were invited, but at the last minute sent word that it would be impossible for them to send representatives.

Medford's High four took the Lawson bronze cup after an exciting and continuous battle.

It was said yesterday afternoon that the time of the double blade tandem race 3 minutes 20 4-5 seconds, was a record, but this could not be verified.

The last part of the aquatic programme was run off on the Lower Mystic lake, because of the gale's increased intensity. The events included the tilting tournament, in which opponents paddled in canoes by companions and armed with long poles bearing rubber balls on one end, attack each other with jab and punches, striving to enforce an impromptu bath.

Medford, represented by Jack Howard, won from Lawrence, represented by Bowle, each having vanquished his man in the preliminaries. Neither Bowle nor Howard succeeded in pushing the other from the canoe, but the spectacle created intense amusement, notwithstanding there had been sufficient "duckings" earlier in the game to satisfy the crowd.

The hurry-scurry race was another of the day's amusing features. In this six men leaped from the float at a pistol shot, swam several yards to waiting canoes, scrambled in and hand-paddled back again. The first prize went to Bowle of Lawrence, who far outdistanced even his nearest competitor, Johnson of Winchester, who paddled in stern on.

The relay race was highly exciting, Medford captured it in a walkover, with Winchester second.

The unusual wind of the morning made it impossible to pull off the sailing race for half-raters, which was announced for 10:30 o'clock, and to see which a considerable crowd gathered. But without the sailing race there was enough to keep interest keen in the way of disaster. At one time four sailing canoes, one of them the Uncle Sam, which was built by Thomas Lawson for the races across the ocean last year, were capsized. The Uncle Sam and another were driven into a cove near the boat house annex and became so entangled that the masts had to be unshipped before the craft could be separated.

The summary of the invitation meet follows:

Club four, single blade—Won by Wawbewaw; Lawrence, second; Medford, third. Time—4:22 3-5.

Tandem, double blade—Won by Wawbewaw; Quinobegun, second; Innitow, third. Time—3:20 4-5.

Half-mile race, High school club fours for the Lawson trophy—Won by Medford; High; Winchester, second; Newton, third. Time—4:26 3-5.

Single blade, one man—Won by Mather of Medford; Bowle of Lawrence, second; French of Quinobegun, third. Time 4:33 4-5.

Tandem, single blade—Won by Pratt and Johnson, Wawbewaw; Howard and Hunter of Medford, second. Time—4:03 3-5.

War canoe race—Won by Wawbewaw; Quinobegun, second; Medford, third. Time—3:18 4-5.

Hurry-scurry race—Won by Bowle of Lawrence; Johnson of Winchester, second.

Relay race, three men—Won by Medford; Winchester, second; Quinobegun third.

Tilting tournament—Won by Medford.

The officials of the meet were: Judges, Commodore, Phillip I. Teel, Medford; L. A. Hall of Wawbewaw Canoe club, Commodore of the American Canoeing association; I. W. Waterbury of Newton Boat club, Starter, Marcus Butler.

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Reals Wright retains the tennis championship of Massachusetts by beating Ware at Longwood, yesterday, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

He was expected to win, having been ranked second in last year's official list to Ware's fourth.

Superior physical condition, however, was sufficient reason for Wright's victory. Ware's strategy was really superior and Wright made some blunders that looked foolish, falling on some particularly easy strokes.

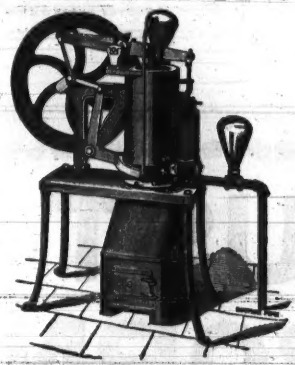
The latter was nervous, and was by no means up to top-notch.

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The Legislature.

ADJOURNED OVER TODAY.

BOSTON, June 17.—The legislature as a whole surprised itself yesterday. In the first place by having a quorum in the house, an considerably more than a quorum in the senate.

Again, in the matter of business, the house went further and tackled its docket with a vim. It cleaned away a number of matters. It did not take up the subway bill except to postpone it to Wednesday, but this was hardly expected, and furthermore the metropolitan affairs committee practically sanctioned the delay by notifying the house of conferences going on.

Reinforced by a burst of patriotic oratory from Kliney of Boston, the Boston democrats members carried their point and provided against a session June 17.

A petition was received that the act of this year to require a new registration of voters in wards of Suffolk senatorial districts outside Boston shall not take effect before Jan. 1, 1903. This was referred under suspension, to the committee on rules.

These bills were passed to be engrossed: To authorize the Rockingham Co. Light and Power Co. to furnish electricity to street railways; to authorize the city of Boston to pay a sum of money to the widow of F. P. Ingalls.

The Boston subway bill was then taken up. Schofield of Malden favored postponement, in order that the committee might have more time to consider certain amendments with the attorney-general.

The motion to postpone prevailed. The bill for a new passenger station and for the abolition of grade crossings in Worcester was passed to be engrossed.

Kliney of Boston moved to postpone to Wednesday the bill to authorize political parties to hold caucuses by precincts in Boston. Postponement was refused and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Without debate, by a rising vote of 39 to 72, the senate concurred in the amendments thereto, the bill to extend civil service exemption to veterans of the Spanish war was refused engrossment.

On a roll call this result was confirmed by 78 yeas to 78 nays. For the second time this year Speaker Myers made a tie by voting no.

Logan of Boston gave notice that he would on Wednesday move to reconsider the vote.

Waterhouse of Bourne moved to substitute for the bill directing the harbor and land commission to construct an entrance to East Bay at Osterville, in Barnstable, a bill appropriating \$10,000 for this work on condition the town raises \$5000 by private subscription for the same purpose. By a rising vote of 41 to 60 the house refused to substitute the bill.

The bill was then referred a third reading by 90 yeas to 67 nays. Curley of Boston moved to amend the bill to permit the school committee of Boston to license hawkers, peddlers and bootblacks less than 14 years of age. The amendment provided that the bill should take effect when accepted by the Boston city council.

Kiley of Boston raised the point of order that the bill was not properly before the house. He called attention to rule 10, which requires that matters held by a committee beyond the time in which the bill should be reported shall be reported back to the branch in which they originated. In the case of this bill, he said, it was a senate measure, but was reported in the house. No extension of courtesy could, he said, cover a violation of a mandatory rule.

Pending a decision on the point, the bill was tabled. The bill to regulate street betterment assessment in Boston was ordered to a third reading without debate.

On motion of Craig of Lynn the bill to provide for a state highway between the Saugus river and Commercial st. in Lynn, was postponed to Wednesday. The house concurred in the senate amendments to the bill to incorporate the Deerfield, Whately & Hatfield St. Ry. Co.

The house then adjourned.

IN THE SENATE.

The senate bills to permit savings banks to invest in street railway bonds; as to rights of husbands and wives in property of surviving husband or wife; permitting Newton to lay sewers in Beacon street, Boston; repealing the Standard bridge act, were passed to be enacted.

The Boston district local option bill was read by its title, the question being on passing to be enacted, and on motion of Sen. C. S. Sullivan, was laid upon the table as he was not present as to whether Sen. J. A. Sullivan and W. F. Fitzgerald desired to oppose enactment or not, and they were not present.

Fitzgerald came in soon after, but did not ask that the bill be taken up. The bill to permit Peabody to issue water securities was also tabled on motion of Sen. Hosland of Suffolk, who took occasion to state that there was a tacit agreement with absent senators that no debatable matters should be considered yesterday.

After sitting a few minutes, the senate, on motion of Sen. C. S. Sullivan, adjourned until Wednesday.

In the senate these committee reports were received: Public health, reference to the next general court on the report of the state board of health in regard to the outlets of sewers and election effect of sewage disposal; and petition of W. S. McNary for primary election days in the city of Boston, of R. L. Gay for the direct nomination of candidates for mayor and street commissioner in the city of Boston.

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CRICKET.

ANDOVER 49; BILLERICA 33.

ANDOVER, June 16.—The Andover Cricket team showed good form in Saturday's game with Billerica, winning by 49 to 33. The bowling of Bruce and Kydd of Andover was strong.

Richie, c Tongue, b Chippendale 0
Sullivan, c Garner, b Tongue 0
Black, run out 0
McDermott, c Townson, b Tongue 3
Bruce, c Bingley, b Tongue 6
Rhodes, c and b Tongue 12
Soutar, c Ballington, b Chippendale 2
Reddihough, b Tongue 2
J. Kydd, not out 1
Wallace, run out 1
Extras 4

Total 49
BILERICA
Garner, b Kydd 1
Townson, b Bruce 0
Ballington, b Bruce 0
Bingley, b Bruce 0
Baily, b Kydd 0
Tongue, b Bruce 2
Chippendale, c Ridings, b Bruce 0
Farrar, c Soutar, b Bruce 17
Whitehouse, b Kydd 5
Aspen, c Reddihough, b Bruce 0
Stran, not out 2
Extras 2

Total 33

BUNTING vs. LAWRENCE.
The United States Bunting team of Lowell defeated the Lawrence team in the Merrimack Valley league here Saturday afternoon without the loss of a wicket. Lawrence was retired for 19 runs. Patrick and Burns bowled in excellent form, the former having four wickets for eight runs and the latter six for ten. After scoring the victory the Buntings gave an exhibition inning, scoring 80 runs for six wickets.

Rowley, not out 10
Moss, not out 10
Total 20
Patrick, Parker, Gale, Briggs, Gath, Watson, West, Scholes, Burns to bat.

LAWRENCE.
Pearson, b Burns 1
Walker, c Barber, b Patrick 0
Woodcock, c Gale, b Burns 1
Gill, b Patrick 6
McCall, b Burns 0
Barker, c Watson, b Burns 1
O'Brien, b Patrick 0
Taylor, b Burns 0

Total 9
METHUEN 126; MERRIMAC 100.
The Merrimac team lost to Methuen in the Merrimack Valley league here Saturday afternoon. Both teams did heavy batting. Methuen scored 126 for five wickets and Merrimac making an even century.

METHUEN.
T. Hodgson, b Haddon 53
J. Hamer, b Ogden 51
W. Hamer, st. Longbottom, b Garret 6
Polgreen, c and b Ogden 6
Briggs, run out 0
Rushton, not out 0
G. Hodgson, not out 0
Extras 7

Totals 126
Tetley, Ankers, Marsden and Wade to bat.

MERRIMAC.
Longbottom, run out 30
R. Ogden, b Wade 10
Gordon, c Hodgson, b Hamer 18
Haddon, b Ankers 10
Gordon, c Hodgson, b Hamer 10
S. Whitaker, c G. Hodgson, b Hamer 9
Easthorpe, not out 9
Garrett, run out 1
Robertshaw, c T. Hodgson, b Ankers 1
Goy, run out 1
J. Whitaker, b Hamer 3
Extras 3

Totals 100
OTHER GAMES.
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At Everett-Wanderers 89; Everett, 31.
At Lowell-Mohair 45; Zions 44.

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FIRST IN TRACK MEET.
The annual outdoor meet of the Essex Intercollegiate Athletic association was held in Newburyport, Saturday, Lawrence High school won with 41 14-15 points. Haverhill High was second with 37 2-15 Newburyport High third, with 25 14-15, Dunbar Academy fourth with 8 and Amesbury High fifth with 4 points.

Tucker of Newburyport broke the association record in the mile run, doing it in 4 m. 45s. Graham of Lawrence High put up the broad jump record of 19 ft. 1 1/2 in. to 20 ft. 6 in.

100-yard dash—Won by Moses; Lasey, D. A., second; Merrow, third. No time taken.
120 yard hurdles—Won by Harris; H. Brown N., second; Sargent, H., third. Time—5m. 48s.

Two-mile bicycle race—Won by Peabody, H.; Kent, L., second; Tuccolo, H., third. Time—5m. 48s.

Shot put—Won by Carroll, H.; Dorgan, L., second; Collins, H., third. Distance—37 ft. 5 in.

220-yard dash—Won by Lasey, D. A.; Graves, A., second; Merrow, L., third. Time—25s.

Broad jump—Won by Graham, L.; O'Sullivan, L., second; Sargent, H., third. Distance—20 ft. 6 in.

Pole vault—Won by Bartlett, N.; Harris H., Morrison, L., and Brown, N., tied for second. Height—8 ft. 2 in.

220-yard hurdles—Won by Dillon, L.; Sargent, H., second; Harris, H., third. Time—29 4-5s.

High jump—Won by Leek, L.; Bartlett, N., Sargent, H., Brown, N., Riley, L. L., O'Sullivan, L., tied for second. Height—5 ft.

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THOUSANDS IN ATTENDANCE.

The first annual grand union picnic of the Protestant Sunday schools of this city was held Saturday at Canobie lake, N. H. The affair was the largest of the sort ever held by any denomination of this vicinity. It was attended by fully 6000 persons, mostly young people, and less conservative people place the attendance at 7000. It certainly was a mammoth occasion.

The committee was taxed for every ticket that was issued and many of the younger ones were admitted without tickets.

On the first train to go to the lake there were twenty cars and all were crowded. The regular trains continued to bring throngs to the pleasant resort. At noon when the second special train arrived at Canobie a throng even larger than that of the morning was added to the attendance.

In the morning after the arrival of the first special train the several Sunday schools repaired to the places allotted to them in the grove where their baggage and stables were left. The morning was spent in boating, squatting around in different portions of the grove and on the campus, where a number of the more ardent of the young people indulged in baseball with scrub nines.

The Lawrence Brass band which was hired by the committee expressly for the picnicers gave excellent selections throughout the morning. Many gathered about the band stand and appreciated the fine concert of the band.

None of the scheduled sports were upset or very much disturbed. They all occurred in the afternoon. Upon the arrival of those who went on the noon train the Lawrence Brass band stood at the entrance and played a march.

The boats of the grounds were not sufficient to supply the demand of the patrons and the wharf was filled continually with those anxious to secure the opportunity to partake of the invigorating sport.

Children especially had a most enjoyable time. They usurped all the swings about the spacious grove and spent a very happy day in the woods.

There was no accident to mar the occasion and it was one of the most successful affairs of the sort for many years.

The excellent list of sports which was carried out was as follows: A 100 yard dash for boys, won by Buckley, McGrath, second; three legged race for boys, won by Spurr and Harris, Taylor and Crockett, second; 100 yard dash for men, won by C. Foster; Carl Weiss, second; half mile run, won by Buckley, McGrath, second; hop, step and jump, won by Allyn Taylor; 37 feet, 4 inches, E. Mitchell, second; 36 feet, 2-4 inches; half mile for men, won by Butterworth, Frank Smith; swimming race, won by Clinton Thom, Carl Weiss, second; Chadwick, third and Rose fourth; the latter has but one arm; egg and spoon race for girls, won by Mary Campbell, 1st; Fox, second; 50 yard for girls, won by Ethel Newton, Grace Holgate, second; 50 yards dash for women, won by Della McDavitt, Dora Bannister.

J. Edward Haigh of Harvard college and one of the most noted sprinters of that institution gave an exhibition of the hop step and jump. It elicited much deserved applause from those who witnessed it.

Edward S. Riley, sub master of the local high school carried off the honors in the bowling match winning with the highest string of the day. He had 234 pins. Miss Sadie Taylor won the ladies' prize, she having a total of 105.

An exciting base ball contest was witnessed on the campus in the afternoon. The Parker street church nine and that of the Andover Baptist church contested for the honors. The former won out by a score of 13 to 12. Following the first game the teams of St. Mark's church and that of the German Presbyterian church lined up against each other and the former was victorious by the score of 3 to 0.

During the sports a lecture by the Rev. S. T. Ford of Lowell was listened to at the rostrum. The subject of his discourse was "Patriotism." It was a very instructive speech and was very much appreciated by the audience which applauded vociferously at times. His remarks were quite appropriate to flag day. Arthur W. Anderson directed the singing of the audience and the band accompanied.

At the conclusion of the lecture the Henry Drummond Cadets of the Parker street church gave a special drill which was witnessed by many persons. It was one of the most pleasing features of the day and the efforts of the company were given due applause.

Balloons were let loose at intervals during the day and fireworks were fired in the afternoon.

Steamboat rides were given to the children, the boat being for the complimentary use of the young people.

The program of the Lawrence Brass band was as follows:

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March, Fravesta. M. Costa
Gems from popular operas, R. Meyer
Moon Moths. A. Kussner
Selections from Florodora, Stenart
Waltz, Calantha. Holmann
March, Cotton Blossoms, A. M. Smith
Characteristic, Woolly Wools. Earle

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Lemonade committee—John E. Barr, Warren Taylor, Frederick M. Vistor. Sports committee—Richard H. Fox, Josephus Matthews, Ray Talmage, Wilmond Burnham, John T. Mannfield, John McKee, Fred Vatter, H. Wilkinson, E. E. Phelps, Alonzo Crosby.

Transportation committee—Frederick M. Vistor, Edward S. Riley, Andrew Knight. Banner and badge committee—Geo. Dodson, Edward S. Riley, E. Frank Searle.

Bowling alley committee—Warren Taylor, Charles Herron, Richard Shiera. Grounds committee—William F. Nutting, James Bell, William Hooper, John S. Curlew, Wallace Abbott, Percy E. Gilbert, E. P. Frost, H. Wilkinson, Frederick M. Vistor, Albert Curlew, Timothy Clark, Alfred Mannfield, F. C. Worcester, Josephus Burnham.

Music committee—John E. Barr. Entertainment committee—Percy E. Gilbert, James I. Millen, Marshall E. Frank Searle.

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COUNTY NEWS.

Children's day was observed Sunday in some of the churches of Salem. President Roosevelt has signed the bill appropriating \$40,000 to improve the Merrimack river.

Judge Abbott of Haverhill advised whipping the two lads who tried to wreck an electric car in that city recently. He finally probated them.

Howard W. Barnard of Peabody died suddenly at his residence 14 Washington street, at 7 o'clock Sunday morning, from heart disease, aged about 44 years.

The opening exercises in Danvers in celebration of the 150th anniversary of the incorporation of the town, were held Sunday when anniversary sermons were preached in all the churches.

The legality of the new lighting contract of the city of Haverhill with the electric light company has started up, and the city may be compelled to re-advertise for bids.

Newburyport's common council will hold no more meetings until fall. Gloucester fish cutters have decided unanimously that the employers must recognize the union.

Railroad employees of the Gloucester division, Boston & Northern railroad have formed an organization.

It is stated that a water famine strikes Gloucester in the face and that \$20,000 is needed to relieve matters. Miss G. G. Pillsbury, matron of the Gloucester hospital, was knocked down by a horse, Saturday, and her elbow broken.

Elmer Putnam, eight years of age, Lynn, was thrown to the ground, Monday while attempting to board a moving electric, and had eight stitches taken in his head.

Miss Abbie Welch was seriously injured Monday by getting caught between the elevator and a post at the box factory of C. H. Haven, Haverhill. Her condition is said to be critical.

The Gloucester schooner Arthur Biney, which arrived at North Sydney, N. S., recently with a case of small pox on board, was released from quarantine Saturday and sailed Sunday for the Grand Banks.

The Haverhill & Andover street railway company will probably not build the proposed line from Andover to Haverhill. The time set for the road to be in operation has expired, and no start has been made.

GREAT DAY AT DANVERS.

DANVERS, June 17.—It is estimated that between sunrise this morning and 12 o'clock tonight upward of 75,000 strangers visited this town to witness the parade, sports, fireworks and other features of the 150th anniversary celebration. Of this number, fully 7500 came in private teams, 5000 on bicycles, thousands on foot and the remainder on steam trains and electric cars.

The rain last night greatly freshened the grass and foliage this morning, and with the beautiful massing of colors on private and public buildings the scene was of rare picturesqueness. Thousands of flags waved in the morning breeze and by 7 o'clock thousands of people were parading the streets in the congested section of the town.

Splendid order prevailed throughout the day, but as a precaution the local police force was augmented by a posse from Salem, under Capt. George H. Blinn, and several members of the state force.

The procession was more than three miles long and over an hour passing a given point. Its success was largely due to the chief marshal, William Penn Hussey, who was instrumental in securing many of the features and expending more than \$3000 to make the event a credit to the town.

More than three hundred were in line, the mounted staff of the chief marshal including nearly 700 men. The presence

George Schaub, a well known German citizen of New Lebanon, Ohio, is a constant reader of the Dayton Volkszeitung. He knows that this paper aims to advertise only the best in its columns, and when he saw Chamberlain's Pain

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FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1902

The Elm Street Railway Hold-up.

The selectmen did right in cancelling
the franchise which was held on Elm
street for a year without any work.
They do right in granting a new fran-
chise in which certain interests, not
cared for in the original grant are
looked after. But in withdrawing the
right to build this important piece of
road altogether, or in making restric-
tions so rigid that it is impossible for
good business principles to accept them,
they would go, by a very large majority,
counter to the wishes of the people of
Andover.

We have no desire to thresh over
again the street railway business of
Andover. For two years it was a daily
theme for discussion and controversy,
and everybody in Andover became
weary of it. But just so long as the
world moves, and the street railway
business develops, just so long will
new issues confront communities which
are in the path of such development.

The present hold-up on Elm street
seems to be due to the long delay oc-
casioned the road by the failure of the
North Andover selectmen to grant the
franchise in their town. Until this
grant was in hand the railway officials
could not go ahead with any part of
the work, and hence the entire year
allowed for building the Andover end
was up before work could begin.

The selectmen of Andover saw an
opportunity to secure added compensa-
tion for the valuable franchise desired,
and took action as before stated. There
is no one in Andover who will not ap-
prove this action, but there is also no
one who will approve any action which
shall demand anything that is unreason-
able or excessive. We understand that
the principal obstacle now standing in
the way of the acceptance of a new
franchise, is the indefiniteness of the
demands made by the selectmen. If
this is so, then by all means let the
selectmen secure a prompt and careful
estimate of what they wish to have
done on Elm street, and present it in a
stated sum as the cost of the Elm
street franchise. Certainly no one can
blame the railway company for not
agreeing to an indefinite and unknown
demand.

We cannot believe that it is wise for
the town of Andover and the Boston &
Northern street railway company to
have a split upon this piece of railway
which is so important to both parties
interested. The road should see that
the street is put in first class shape and
the town should not demand more than
such a return. It ought not to be
difficult to find what the cost of doing
this will be, and to settle the whole
matter so that work can go on at once
as proposed by the contractors.

Editorial Cinders.

The closing school days of 1902 are
marking great progress in all of the
important schools of the town. The
Seminary has come to the parting of
the ways and entered, it is believed by
its most loyal friends, into a new and
larger activity. Phillips has had a
critical year owing to Dr. Bencroft's
death, but has been wisely guided into
a most successful year notwithstanding.

It has been peculiarly so, from a material
standpoint, for never have so many im-
provements been made as mark the
year of a completed new gymnasium
and the building of the archaeological
building. The town's high school ques-
tion has been adjusted so that next fall
Punchard will enter into a full service
of the town as an abundantly equipped
high school, while from Abbot, if rumor
is true, there will come an announce-
ment next week of the fruition of a
hope that has long been active for
improvement. All in all it has been an
epoch making year for "educational
Andover."

The principalship of Phillips Acad-
emy is not settled, and yet in the minds
of many it is. The creation of the
position of vice-principal, and the elec-
tion of Mr. Stearns to fill it, go a long
way toward fixing him at an early day
in the permanent position of head of
the school. Such a result of the long
and careful deliberations by the trustees
will bring great satisfaction to many
friends of the school. Age, training
and natural endowment are all in favor
of Mr. Stearns as the head of Andover's
great school. He will take up the
work as temporary official with the
heartiest good wishes of all, and, we
believe with many others, with such
success as to make sure the announce-
ment of his possession, by next com-
mencement, of the full title and honor
that is carried by the "principalship of
Phillips Academy."

The Bowley fund was quickly and
generously provided by benevolent
Andover. It was not a large sum that
was required, but just enough for
immediate needs, and the contributors
may be assured of deep appreciation by
those they have helped.

Now let every energy be bent to
make all Andover so clean and germ
free that not a trace of smallpox is left
for a next winter bug-a-boo.

CLASS OF EIGHTEEN

Closing Exercises at Punchard Free
School Held Last Evening.

Thirteen young women and five young
men stood on the platform at Punchard
hall last evening to receive their diplo-
mas, the mystic symbol which showed
that each had completed the required
course of studies at the Punchard Free
school.

Hardly, if ever, has the hall been filled
with a larger audience than that which
saw the class of 1902 pass from seniors to
graduates, and seldom have the exer-
cises been more interesting than those
which took place on this occasion.

Beautiful floral decorations adorned
the stage. Along the front was a bank
of greenery and spires, while rubber
plants, palms, ferns and evergreen were
used profusely in the wings and at the
rear. On a bank of greenery in the
background the class seal in blue and
gold was suspended. In one corner of
the hall were beautiful bouquets which
friends had sent to the graduates. Be-
sides the flowers, blue and white crepe
paper was also used in the decorations.

Seated on the platform were the trust-
ees, clergymen and teachers of the
school. The school occupied seats at the
right of the stage, with the seniors in
the front seats. The latter filed in
shortly before eight o'clock, as Miss
Sarah H. Pratt played a march on the
piano. Miss Pratt also acted as accom-
panist for the singing.

After the opening prayer by Rev. G.
A. Andrews of the West church, the
following program was rendered:

Chorus—A Moonlight Boatride, Adapted.
Essay—The Princess, Louisa Eaton
Scenes from Tennyson's "Princess"
Princess Ida, Harriet Lincoln Abbot
Lady Payche, Agnes Florence Gillen
Lady Blanche, Carolyn Amelia Abbot
Melissa, Katherine Teresa Hannan
Messenger and Herald, Mabel Jane
Pearson

The Prince, William Abbot Hardy
Floridan, Joseph Soutar
Cyril, Dana Wright Clark
Pupils, Members of the Class
Chorus—God of Our Fathers.

Presentation of Class Gift,
Presentation by William Abbot Hardy,
Pres. Class of 1902
Acceptance by William Cecil Bliss,
Pres. Class of 1903
Prophecy, Harriet Lincoln Abbot
Presentation of Diplomas.
Benediction.

The singing was excellently rendered
under the leadership of Miss Hoar,
teacher in singing in the public schools.
Miss Eaton's essay was extremely inter-
esting and told the story of the five
scenes from Tennyson's "Princess,"
which were given most creditably by the
strong cast above in the program. The
seniors entered heartily and understand-
ingly into the interesting story and gave
their lines with spirit and expression.

The class gifts consisted of a handsome
picture of Stratford-on-Avon and a statue
of Michael Angelo's "David," a beautiful
piece of sculpture. The presentation
and acceptance were made in a few,
simple words.

Miss Harriet Lincoln Abbot made a hit
with her class prophecy, in which she
depicted her classmates as revolutionizing
the world in various ways.

Principal Baldwin made the announce-
ment of the prize winners. The Bar-
nard and Goldsmith winners have al-
ready been announced in these columns.

The prizes for excellency in Botany
given by Myron E. Gutterston, for best
written text, sight analysis of a flower,
and for best herbarium, were awarded
by Colver J. Stone. Mr. Stone said that
the general results were excellent and
that the first prize was won by No. 14,
who proved to be Miss Katherine T.
Hannon, and the second by No. 13, Miss
Katherine E. Walsh.

The Mary Starbuck prizes for excel-
lency in letter writing were awarded as
follows: Girls, 1st, Miss Louise Eaton;
2nd, Miss Sarah H. Pratt; boys, 1st,
Frank Halstead; 2nd, Ernest Wood.
Rev. Frederic Palmer, chairman of the
board of trustees, awarded the diplomas.
In doing so, he spoke of the dawning of a
new Punchard, of what had brought the
change about and what would be accom-
plished by it.

The members of the graduating class
were as follows: Carolyn Amelia Abbot,
Harriet Lincoln Abbot, Fannie Louisa
Eaton, Agnes Florence Gillen, Katherine
Teresa Haskell, Isabel Perkins Haskell,
Ethel Davis Hemenway, Rena Elizabeth
Hemenway, Mary Elizabeth Lynch,
Mabel Jane Pearson, Katherine Elizabeth
Walsh, Dora Abbott Ward, Chester
Dennison Abbott, Dana Wright Clark,
William Abbot Hardy, Joseph Soutar,
Wendell Taylor Wright.

The exercises were concluded by ben-
ediction by Mr. Palmer.

Tonight, the annual reception by the
alumni to the senior class will be held in
Punchard hall.

WEST PARISH.

The members of the H. S. Whist club
of Lawrence, were royally entertained
Saturday afternoon by Mrs. W. S. King
and Mrs. W. D. Currier at the former's
camp, King villa, Haggatt's pond, And-
over. The ladies who went by train
were met at the Haggatt's pond station
and driven to the camp. During the
afternoon souvenir whist was played on
the piazza which extends out over the
water. Mrs. W. H. Forbes was high
scorer and Mrs. C. I. Williams secured
consolation. Luncheon was afterwards
served and the members expressed them-
selves as highly delighted with their
outing, during which the members fully
maintained their reputation for sociabil-
ity.

Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning be-
tween 5 and 7 o'clock and at noon be-
tween 12 and 1 o'clock.

1901	Morn.	Noon.	1902	Morn.	Noon.
June 13	56	82	June 13	57	85
" 14	60	86	" 14	58	80
" 15	60	72	" 15	60	77
" 16	50	70	" 16	58	88
" 17	42	76	" 17	64	76
" 18	48	83	" 18	50	74
" 19	50	80	" 19	56	78

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

In order to introduce my latest ideas
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Birthday Reception.

It was a happy thought for both the
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doors of the old Abbot homestead on
Mineral street last Saturday afternoon,
in honor of the eighty-fourth birthday
of Mrs. Dorcas Abbot Clark.

A large company of relatives and
friends availed themselves of the oppor-
tunity to express their affection and
esteem for one whose personal traits
and many years of loving service, in
home, church and community life had
endeared her to their hearts.

The gathering included Mrs. Marshall
French of Melrose, Mrs. L. K. Bowers of
Winchester, and of Andoverians, such
honored octogenarians as Mrs. Robert
Callahan and Deacon Wm. C. Donald,
and little eight-months' old Marion
Blanchard White, Mr. and Mrs. John L.
Abbot, Mr. T. A. Holt, the pastors of the
South and Free churches, the family's
physician, and many others. Mrs.
Bowers' greeting was expressed in
verse and will long be treasured as a
cheering reminder of the occasion.

Gifts of flowers added to the appro-
priate floral decorations, and confection-
ery, books, and other tokens of personal
regard were left in the hands of the
hostess. One gift of eighty-four pink
roses was accompanied by the well-deserved
sentiment, "The fragrance of the years
has been like the fragrance of these
flowers, beautiful and satisfying."

Mr. Timothy and Miss Hannah Ab-
bot, the brother and sister of Mrs.
Clark, assisted her in giving an old-time
welcome to the guests, and nieces, grand-
nieces and grand-nephews extended the
hospitality of the home in the serving of
refreshments.

It was a delightful occasion to every
one present and all could echo the words
of the "fireplace motto," quoted by Dr.
Alexander McKenzie in his after-dinner
speech last week at the Theological
Seminary, "Three good things—to be
here, to be together, and to think well
of one another."

South Church Picnic.

The South Church Sunday school will
hold its annual picnic at Stiles' Grove,
Johnson's Pond, South Groveland, Sat-
urday, June 28th. Tickets for children
under 12 are 25 cents; for those from 12
to 15 inclusive, 35; all others, 50 cents.

Barges will leave the South church at
8 a. m. The bell will ring at 7.15 if it
is decided to give up the picnic because
of the weather. No child should be sent
unless under the care of some older
person. All tickets must be sold by
June 24th and money will be refunded
in case the picnic is given up. Tickets
can be obtained from the Sunday school
teachers, or if necessary at Dr. Gilbert's,
115 Main street.

The sports will begin at 1.30 p. m. and
entries can be made to those in charge,
as indicated below: baseball game, cap-
tains G. R. Cannon and M. McTernan;
potato race, George Chandler; three
legged race and sack race, Gerald
D'Arcy; 100 yard dash, 15 years or under,
Malcolm McTernan; 200 yard dash, over
15 years, Malcolm McTernan; boat race,
G. R. Cannon. Notice of girls' sports
will be given later.

Delay In Building Road.

The statement has been made that the
Haverhill and Andover road between
Andover and Haverhill will not be built
at present, owing to the action of the
selectmen in voting to revoke the
franchise of the road, the time limit hav-
ing expired on the first of June. It has
also been stated that the stone crusher,
erected at considerable expense near Plato
Dames, would be pulled down and re-
moved.

While it's likely that operations will
commence on the Ward Hill end of the
road first it is also probable that the
selectmen and officials of the road will
come to some sort of an agreement and
the work rushed through rapidly on the
Andover end.

The matter of caring the crushed
stone from the present situation of the
crusher to North Andover is being con-
sidered.

FOR BOWLEY FUND

Little Girl Gave Up the Circus In Order
that She Might Contribute.

One of the earliest contributors for
the fund started by the Townsman for
the bereaved Bowley family whose son
and father was a victim of smallpox,
was a little Andover school girl about
six or seven years old.

The fund was started last Friday
night and Saturday, noon somebody was
heard trying to open the office door.
The door was opened and a little miss of
tender years was discovered. She in-
quired if the editor was "in." Altho' he
was out at the time, the little lady en-
tered, asking if this was the place where
they took the money for "the poor little
children." Upon being answered in the
affirmative, she produced a nickel bank.

"I've got fifty cents here," said she,
and with some difficulty shook out five
dimes. "I've been saving it to go to the
circus but I thought I'd like to give it to
the poor little children and papa said I
might."

So her hoarded dimes which she had
been keeping in order that she might go
to the circus, went to swell the fund for
the relief of a needy household and her
example no doubt influenced a number
to contribute. The response was most
generous and the fund is now
closed.

Following is the list of contributors:

Andover Townsman,	\$5
John L. Brewster,	5
Academy Friend,	2
Miss Kate M. Scott,	1
John W. Scott,	1
Edward Scott,	1
Miss S. E. Riley,	1
Rev. W. L. Ropes,	2
A Friend,	5
W. F. Draper,	1
Mr. Starbuck,	1
Dr. Magee,	5
Annie Reed,	1
Geo. A. Christie,	1
F. H. N.,	1
Two Friends,	1
Mrs. C. R. Reed,	1
G. S. B.,	30
H. S. S.,	1
H. H. Tyler,	5
A Friend,	2
M. E. Gutterston,	10
Geo. Ripley,	1
A Friend,	1
A Friend,	1
Mrs. H. E. Carruth,	1
B. Brown,	1
Ballardvale,	1
Dr. A. E. Hulme,	1
A Friend,	1

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Obituary.

MRS. SUSAN E. (HUNT) ABBOTT.

On Tuesday morning, Mrs. Susan E. (Hunt), wife of William H. Abbott, passed quietly away at her home on Central street, only a few steps from the South church with which she has been connected for the past thirty years.

Mrs. Abbott's life has been a beautiful one although of considerable retirement. Her interests have centered in her home and her church. She was a Christian woman for there ever was one and her work in the mission field and for all things good has been active.

The late Mrs. Abbott was born in Charlestown, Nov. 6, 1816. Her parents were Enoch and Esther Hunt. She obtained her splendid education and culture by instruction at home and in private schools. In 1845 she was married to Mr. Abbott, the ceremony being performed by Rev. W. I. Budington of the 1st Congregational church of Charlestown.

Thirty-one years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott came to Andover and took up their residence on Central street, where they have lived very quietly. Shortly after coming here they joined the South church by letter from the Winthrop church of Charlestown.

Mrs. Abbott was the only daughter in a family of four and her home circle has all gone before her so that with the exception of her husband, she is only survived by two nieces, Mrs. Adolf Schreiber of Germany, and Mrs. S. E. Randall of Andover.

For the past four years Mrs. Abbott has been an invalid and for a year had not been down stairs.

The services were held at her late home yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, Rev. Frank R. Shipman, pastor of the South church, officiating. Interment was in the South cemetery.

Mrs. Eliza B. Peake, nee Beetle, died at the residence of Dr. J. A. Leitch on Main street, Andover, this morning at the age of 66 years, three months. She was born in Edgartown, Mass., in March 1836. She was the daughter of the late John Beetle, an old resident of Lawrence who was a noted contractor and builder of the city at the time when that city was first settled.

The death of her husband occurred about 10 or 12 years ago. She lived in this city 36 years.

Deceased is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Walter Parker of Haverhill street, wife of Mr. Parker, agent of the Pacific mills; Mrs. Charles Emerson, mother of Mrs. Alexander Rogers; and Mrs. Jackson Powell of Prospect hill.

The funeral will occur this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Emerson at 590 Haverhill street. The Rev. William E. Gibbs is expected to officiate. Interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

MRS. ELIZABETH D. LAWSON.

Mrs. Elizabeth D. Lawson, one of Andover's old and highly respected residents, died Friday evening at her home in the West Parish.

Mrs. Lawson was a woman of the highest character, of a kind, generous and sympathetic nature, which had won for her a place in the hearts of many friends who will mourn her death. The

VICE-PRINCIPAL

Announcement Made at 124th Commencement at
Phillips Academy Thursday of Election of
Alfred E. Stearns to This Position.

Another school year at the historic old Phillips Academy has drawn to a close and another class, the second in the new century, has gone forth from its portals, to college or to do battle with the world.

This season's commencement is the 124th in the academy's history. The class of 1902 was favored with exceptionally good weather for their class-day exercises, for the atmosphere was cool and pleasant, while the sun put just enough warmth into the air so that the mothers, sisters, and lady friends of the graduating class could wear their light summer gowns with pleasure and comfort. On commencement day, however, the weather was threatening.

Andover has been filled these days with the parents and relatives of the senior classes of the Theological Seminary, Phillips and Abbot Academies, and their presence lends an additional air of festivity to the familiar uniformity of the town.

Beginning with the reception to the senior class at the residence of Acting Principal Prof. W. B. Graves on Salem street last Friday evening, the exercises moved smoothly along to the closing time yesterday noon, when the Alumni association held its annual banquet. On Sunday, Rev. Harry P. Dewey, D. D., of Brooklyn, N. Y., preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class at three p. m.; on Sunday evening, the Society of Inquiry held its farewell meeting; on Tuesday night came the annual dramatic entertainment in the November Club house; on Wednesday af-

should determine that his future shall be a creditable future, that his life shall be lived at the highest. It is in the feeling that you who are about to leave this academy are now indulging in these more serious reflections that I venture to enter into your thoughts, if perchance I may say something to reinforce you in your exalted purpose.

"As one thinks upon the well-spent life, there is perhaps first of all a desire to do something, a wish to take talents and powers and invest them with a return, for there is an instinct within us which tells us that we ought to be something more than consumers and creatures; we ought to be producers and creators. To enter into some work, to put one's whole vitality into it and to gain rewards commensurate with the effort, this is the laudable ambition of every normal young man and woman. I am not saying what the vocation shall be, but I am saying that every one who is in a healthy state of mind feels that there should be an output of energy, that life should be characterized by vigorous work from which there shall be reaped a harvest.

"In this connection it should be remembered that the only success which shall be genuine and which shall give satisfaction to the worker is that which is the result largely of his own individual, original effort. Perhaps some of you may be lamenting what you deem the poverty of your advantages. You are looking with envy at some more favored friend who has the lift of a helping hand, the aid of influence or of fortune, but I bid you sigh not for the windfall, and wait not eagerly for the high wave which shall roll you on irresistibly. Be certain that the only success which shall be



ALFRED E. STEARNS
Vice Principal

ternoon the class day exercises and in the evening the Draper prize speaking in Phillips Academy hall, and on Thursday morning, the commencement exercises in the Chapel, with the Alumni dinner in Phillips hall, preceded by reunions in various school rooms.

Senior Reception

As is the usual custom the senior reception was held on the week preceding commencement, this year coming last Friday evening. The acting principal's house and grounds, beautifully decorated and lighted for the occasion, were thronged with the young men of the class of '02 and the young ladies of the two upper classes at Abbot, together with some young ladies of the town who had been invited to attend.

The evening was delightfully passed by all in social intercourse and in strolling about the environments. During the evening refreshments were served. This reception is classed among the society events of the season.

Baccalaureate Sermon

Seminary Chapel was filled Sunday afternoon by the seniors of Phillips Academy, their friends and relatives, together with the young ladies of Abbot Academy and many townspeople, all of whom listened with pleasure and profit to the splendid baccalaureate sermon de-

real, and which shall have its meed of self-respect, is that which you yourself, in a peculiar sense have earned. Napoleon once said, that 'All that the war required he could do. If a gun-carriage was to be made he could construct it; if gunpowder he could make it.' This was the somewhat conceited but significant declaration of a great truth, that each man should seek to be the architect of his own fortune.

"There is great pertinence in this counsel today, because there are so many young people who are not under the stress of necessity felt by their fathers and mothers. And the temptation is to lie down upon the advantage, to rest upon one's oars and drift with the favoring current. Moreover there is the winsome voice of pleasure today, I mean not the pleasure that is vicious and that must always be denied, but pleasure that is legitimate; the diversions, attractions, amusements, that come in such profusion and urge their claim so insistently, and are so likely to rob the time and strength that should be given to the main business.

"It is well for you to remind yourselves of your ancient studies, and read over and over again how the Greeks had a particular reverence for the ox and made it a crime to kill him, because he was a worker. It is well to remember that such a distinguished genius as Coleridge might have been the leading scholar of his time if he had not been lazy. Thackeray, in re-



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livered by Rev. Harry P. Dewey, D. D., of Brooklyn, N. Y., to the class of '02. Dr. Dewey's topic was: 'The Life Well Spent,' and his text was found in 1 Cor. 4, 2: 'Moreover it is required in stewards that a man be found faithful.'

He said: 'There is a saying in college that the freshman year is wont to drag, but that the three subsequent years pass with ever accelerating rapidity. But there are few students who can round out any one of the years, and least of all, come to the end of the course, without being made a little serious by the recognition that they are moving on. There is the solemn sense that one is growing older, that youth is being left behind, and manhood with its greater responsibilities is approaching. And there is the added seriousness of looking into the untraveled years ahead and asking, What have those years in store for me? What is the destiny which awaits me in them?' 'Certainly it is natural that at such time that the better nature should assert itself, that the nobler desires should come to the front and that one

ferring to the numberless literary and historical allusions on the pages of Macaulay, says that pre-eminent genius that he read twenty books to write a sentence, and read a hundred miles to write a line. It is said of Benjamin Franklin near the close of his life, that he made the remark that he had been before five kings and dined with two, and it has been pertinently observed that this was a signal attestation of the verse in the Scripture: 'Sess thou a man diligent in his business: he shall stand before kings.' Work, work, that knows what self-denial is; work that can keep even legitimate pleasure in its place of subordination; work concerning which Carlyle said, 'Do your work and swallow its annoyances in silence; that is what makes the real success.'

"There is another element in our dream of a well-spent life. It is not to do something merely, but to have the capability of enjoying life in its highest most thoroughly, and entering into it most appreciatively; to have that possession which gives breadth to the mind and expansion to the sympathies,

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Total,

PHILLIPS ANDOVER

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L. J. Perrin,
J. I. Simmons,

Total,

Miss Eleanor Brooks, who has been away from Pynchard on a leave of absence on account of her health, is in town for the graduation exercises.

The public schools closed today at noon. Superintendent Palmer gave out the diplomas to the graduates during the forenoon. The exercises in closing were very simple.

Members of the local Protestant churches participated in the Union Sunday school picnic at Canobie lake last Saturday.

Battery C of Lawrence, went through Andover Monday night on their way to Wakefield where they participated in the celebration connected with the unveiling of the new soldier's and sailor's monument.

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At Salem, N. H., June 11, Fred Lovejoy, son of William W. Lovejoy of West Andover, and Miss Carrie A. Nelson, by Rev. Fred K. Gamble.

At Andover, June 15, William J. Adams of Ballardvale, and Annie B. Craik of Andover, at St. Augustine church, by Rev. D. J. O'Mahony.

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which we are wont to speak of as culture; that fine thing which no young man or young woman can afford to disregard. It is secured in part through the training of the schools. It comes through conversation and observation, through travel, through entering into the experience of the world. It gives wisdom to one's outlook, and saves him from being narrow and prejudiced. It helps him to become poised and balanced, and to maintain self-possession. It gives him grace and smoothness; it adds the touch of refinement to the practical, it embellishes, it adorns, and adds the aesthetic and the sentimental to the matter of fact. It helps to make the man a gentleman and the



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woman a lady. So far from hurting one's efficiency it rather increases it. We go abroad, and we are impressed with the number of people in ordinary life doing the commonest work of the day who yet have that unmistakable flavor of refinement which only the Old World gives. I shall not forget how even the English cockney was very particular to say, "I thank you, and I beg your pardon." It is related of William, Earl of Nassau, that he won a subject for the king of Spain every time he took off his hat. That was the irresistible impression upon the popular heart of an unaffected gentility.

"No, the granite does not lose its strength by taking on a polish. The elm tree lifts itself up with the trunk staunch and strong; but above it breaks into graceful branches and luxuriant foliage. And the vision of St. John of the Eternal City is the true one. He sees the great enduring walls, garnished all over with precious stones. Strength and beauty; work and culture; these go hand in hand and are mutually dependent.

"But there is a third element in our vision of a well-spent life which must have particular mention. It is the maintenance of honor. It is well one should strive for the attainment of culture, but it is first of all important that one should preserve his integrity, that conscience should be kept untrammelled upon its throne, that, to express obligation to his highest terms, one should bend his will to the will of God. There is need of real work today, need of politicians who shall be more statesmenlike, need of more sagacious business men, of more apt instructors, of more skilful artisans, of more capable fathers and mothers, but there is immensely more need of greater fidelity, of a more absolute unselfishness, of a more supreme conscientiousness. There is a necessity for a more extensive and well proportioned culture, but surely there is a necessity for something more than what we term the refinements of life. Socrates said that if men could know what is wise and how they would do it, but the centuries have proved that the great philosopher was mistaken. Aristotle felt that if he could get arithmetic enough into a man's head he would be righteous, but we have proven that one may be able to solve all the problems of the calculus and yet be an unmitigated rascal. Greece and Rome were at their height in intellectual development when they were most rotten at the core. France was sedulously careful of all the requirements of the politest etiquette, was zealous for the welfare of literature and art, when Burke said of her that her vices lost half their evil by losing half their grossness.

"Hawthorne has depicted the unpardonable sin as committed by Ethan Brand, the sin of cultivating the intellect while leaving the conscience to warp and wither. And when we think of culture on the side of sentiment and taste and feeling, we are equally certain that something more is needed. When writing his mighty oratorio, Handel said to have burst into a flood of tears when he came to the words, "He was despised and rejected of men," and as he went on elaborating that magnificent masterpiece, there were times when he seemed to be lifted up to the seventh heaven; yet Handel at that time was known to be sensual, passionate and morally irregular. There must be something underneath the superficial culture that arises not from the judgment of the brain, nor the feelings of the heart, that rather has its roots in the impregnable will and the inviolable conscience. And this is one's possession, if he is according his life to the Divine will, patterning his life after Christ's life, and imitating His spirit, then great results are certain to follow. He will be a better workman than he otherwise could be. He will run his accounts more accurately. He will fit his joist more perfectly. He will be more sagacious in business. He will be in every wise more efficient if his conscience is true and his heart is pure. I do not wonder that Dr. Arnold had such aptness in imparting truth to his pupils when he was one of whom it could be said his boys would not tell him a lie because they feared if they did he would believe them. And when one thinks of intellectual culture, of the ponderous questions of life and destiny, it does not seem strange that his mind should be so luminous when, as we see in the "Idylls of the King," he is preaching the supreme consequence of rectitude, or when we follow him into his garden and hear him say in answer to the question, "What think you of Christ?"

"What the sun is to that flower, that Christ is to my soul." Or if you consider culture on the side of sympathy, sentiment and taste, surely it is only the inbreathing of the Christian spirit that produces the real gentility. I have known people who were eminently well bred, who yet would occasionally violate the most ordinary courtesies, the reason being apparently that with all their refinement they were not Christian. The only gentleman, the only lady, who can be relied upon to exhibit gentleness and ladyhood under all circumstances are those who pattern themselves after the mind and heart of Him who was the perfect man, yes who was, reverently we may say it, the perfect gentleman.

"And when one is taking all his inspiration for life from the Divine sources, then it is that he rises to that great conception of living which certainly is the true one and the only one that can make life seem most worth living. It is the conception of life as a

stewardship. Our talents and powers and opportunities are not our own; they belong to God. They are to be used for the service of the world, and at length we are to render up our stewardship. How much more work means when you think of it as something more than to gain a livelihood, or to earn influence or reputation. We are so likely to be selfish even in the best work we do. When we think of our lot as something which is in a humble sphere makes the world a little sorer and sadder, then we have attained the true joy of honest labor. How much more culture means, good a thing as it is in itself, if we yet think of it as meant for more than our own refinement and elevation, as the means by which we are to sweeten and embellish the lives of others. The ornate is meant to have its mission in this world.

"Ruskin tells us that one of the finest arrangements in the animal world is the placing of feathers on the under side of the wings of the common domestic fowl, those wings that are not meant for flight but spread themselves out in brooding over the young. And culture is not beautiful, it is something rather which makes one appear in all the unloveliness of selfishness, unless it be stretching out its hands to bless and uplift. And character, that finest thing, with all its virtues, honesty, fidelity, purity, faith, is itself but a species of selfishness unless it be used as the life-line to save others from being lost, the stepping-stone on which others may rise to the attainments of the blest.

"I think there is great need in these times of emphasizing the importance of a sense of mission. "It is a great thing to have education today. It lays upon one a solemn responsibility, a responsibility that is not easy to discharge. But I have heard of saints who had managed to attain unto heaven, and who fell into a discussion concerning God's grace, and were asking themselves which one of the number was the most signal object of Divine mercy. Finally the competition was narrowed to two. One was a man who had committed almost every crime in the calendar, and had been snatched at the eleventh hour as a brand from the burning. The other was one who had never done anything very bad, who had begun life well, had lived it earnestly and unselfishly, and had gone at last to his reward. Which of the two received the vote, do you think? By common consent, the verdict was given to the latter. It was a work of grace, to save a man at the eleventh hour from destruction; it was a greater work of grace to keep a man all the way along from the beginning to the end, and to bring him strong, pure and unstained into the Father's house. That is the ambition I have for each of you, that life may begin well, and not be broken in the middle; that old age may have no vain and bitter regrets for wasted opportunities. And that is the dream that may be realized by the same grace that preserved the victorious saint. I hope you will do the work which shall be heard of in the world, or some work which may be just as great though your name never is heralded in fame. I hope you will have more and more of culture which you have already begun to reap. I hope you will have a character full, rounded and symmetrical. I hope you will maintain unwavering your faith in God. I hope above all that you will take your work and your culture and your rectitude, and make them a gift which you give to the world. I hope that each one of you will be like that perfect lady who braved the contagions of the military hospital. One day as she was walking through the wards, a poor, wounded soldier asked if his cot might be changed to the other side of the room that he might touch the shadow of Florence Nightingale as she passed. I hope that you all will be like that Master Himself, blessing men, not only by what He did, but by what He was, making them feel that even His presence was a source of life and power, who created the impression as He passed through the crowd that if they could but touch Him they would be made whole."

This year's dramatic entertainment was held in the November club house before a large and fashionable audience. The entertainment was given by the Dramatic club of the Academy, the officers of which are: N. F. Bartlett, president, P. L. Reed, business manager, J. F. Bartlett, stage manager.

A farce, "A Game of Cards," was presented by the following cast in a decidedly creditable manner: Chevalier de Rochefort, J. F. Bartlett, Anotale (son of Chevalier), MacRobert (Mrs. MacRobert's daughter), J. S. Hall, Mr. Mercier (a retired dry goods merchant), Park.

During the evening musical selections were rendered by Charles Scullin and N. F. Bartlett.

Dancing followed the entertainment. The patronesses were Mrs. W. R. Newton, Miss Kate Roberts, Mrs. J. L. Phillips and Mrs. C. H. Forbes.

Class Day
The customary class day gathering was held in Phillips Academy hall on Wednesday afternoon, commencing at two o'clock. Besides the seniors, who occupied the front seats in the centre, many parents, brothers, sisters, and fair friends of the opposite sex were present, including a large number of the Abbot Academy girls.

Beautiful ferns, palms and other plants of a tropical nature were grouped artistically upon the platform, while ropes of laurel formed a canopy over the rostrum. Florist Millett had this feature of the day in charge. Edwin White of St. Paul, Minn., president of the school, presided at the exercises.

The class statistics and prophecy as usual caused a good deal of amusement. The oration by Frederick Sewall Bale was splendidly put together. Following was the program:

Music: Andover Band Orchestra
Class History
John Ezra Ayers, Spring Valley, N. Y.
Poem, Thomas Yost Cooper, Hanover, Pa.
Music: Orchestra

Statistics,
William Wentworth Thayer, Concord, N. H.
Oration,
Frederick Sewall Bale, Asbury Park, N. J.
Music: Orchestra

Prophecy,
Lee James Perrin, New Haven, Conn.
Music: Orchestra

When the exercises were concluded in the hall, adjournment was made to the lawn by the science building where the ivy was planted. Edwin White, president of '02, presented the spade to Carleton Hulskamp of St. Louis, Mo., president of '03, suitable words of presentation and acceptance being spoken. Then came the singing of the ivy song, the words of which were written by Thomas Yost Cooper, class poet, followed by cheers of farewell for the class of 1902, the school and 1903.

The ivy song follows:
O ivy, ivy, plant divine,
Thy blessing breathe before we go
And make our spirits like to thine
And ever keep them so.

No crown of leaves we ask thee give
To shed a passing earthly mood;
We only pray that we may live
For universal good.

Teach us to climb up to the skies,
Teach us to love and cling like thee,
To extend these friendships and these ties
Into eternity.

Today we meet, tomorrow part,
Time tears us from thy treasured side;
But twining tendrils round each heart
O ivy there abide.

The officers of the school are: President, Edwin White, St. Paul, Minn.; Vice President, John Ezra Ayers, Spring Valley, N. Y.; Secretary, Melville Brooks Gurley, Washington, D. C.; Treasurer, Robert Leland Keeney, Somerville, Conn.

The following committees had charge of the arrangements: Printing, E. M. B. Gurley, P. L. Reed; musical, R. A. Bliss, H. W. Palmer, R. J. Campbell; gift, R. F. Kinney, Frank O'Brien, Cyril Sumner; decoration, N. F. Bartlett, P. L. Reed, E. D. Lynch; financial, M. B. Gurley, J. E. Ayers, F. S. Bale.

Draper Speaking.
The thirty-sixth annual Draper prize speaking was held in Phillips Academy hall on Wednesday evening before an audience composed of students, parents, and friends. All the speakers received a generous mead of applause at the conclusion of their efforts. The prizes were awarded: 1st, Frederick Sewall Bale, Asbury Park, N. J.; 2nd, to Joseph Augustine O'Connor, Lawrence, Mass.; 3rd, to Henry Bartlett Stimson, New York, N. Y., \$8.

The program was as follows:
Daniel O'Connell, Phillips
Henry Francis Burns, Goshen, N. Y.
Aux. Italians, Lytton
Napoleon, Ingersoll
Jas. Roy Lewis, Holyoke.
Gaulbert's Victory, Anon.
Ralph Angell, Moores, N. Y.
Rufus Choate, From a lecture on "Idols," Phillips

Frederick Sewall Bale, Asbury Park, N. J.
Merchant of Venice, part of Act II, Shakespeare
Joseph Augustine O'Connor, Lawrence, Mass.
The Man Without a Country, E. E. Hale
John Joseph Donovan, No. Andover.
From "Ulysses," Act III, Soliloquy and Speech to Athene, Stephen Phillip

Henry Bartlett Stimson, New York.
Roelia's Wedding Day, R. H. V.
Frederick Hough MacRobert, Gloucester
Toussaint L'Overture, Phillips
Richard Park, Warren, N. H.

The committee of award: Bernard Perrin, Ph.D., LL.D., Yale University; John Winthrop Plattner, D. D., Andover, and Rev. Frank Halsey Paradise, Medford.

Commencement.
Ninety-three men went forth from Phillips Academy yesterday as members of the graduating class of 1902. This year marked the one hundred and twenty-fourth year of the Academy's history and brought the consummation in several ways of a very remarkable year. The Academy suffered the loss of its principal, but it has been strengthened by different means, especially by the new gymnasium, and by the Archaeological building which will be completed in the fall.

At a quarter before ten o'clock the graduating class, the faculty and alumni gathered in front of the Academy building, and headed by the Andover brass band, marched at 10 o'clock to the Seminary chapel where the seniors separated to allow the alumni and faculty to pass between their ranks to the seats reserved for them. The Chapel was well filled with the usual commencement gathering.

After music by the band, Pres. Day of the Theological Seminary offered an eloquent prayer, which was followed by more music by the band. The exercises which followed were simple in character, consisting of the reading of five essays, the announcement of prizes and the awarding of diplomas.

The essays were as follows: "The Miracle Plays," by Robert Lincoln Clark of Ansonia, Conn.; "Nantucket," by Melville Brooks Gurley of Washington, D. C.; "Practical Education," by William Wentworth Thayer of Concord, N. H.; "Advertising Through Signs," by Charles Clarke Perkins of Mountainville, N. Y.; "The Heritage of the Twentieth Century,"

by Earl Tappan Stannard of Chittenden, N. Y.

The announcement of honors by Acting Principal William B. Graves was as follows:

Graduates of the classical department—Greek, Edward Nathaniel Jackson, Jr., William Wentworth Thayer; English, Robert Lincoln Clark, William Wentworth Thayer; French, William Wentworth Thayer; German, Thomas Yost Cooper, Herbert Paul Onash; history, William Wentworth Thayer; mathematics, Edward Washburn Kellogg, Richard Park; physics, William Wentworth Thayer.

Graduates of the scientific department—Solid geometry, Earl Tappan Stannard, Fred Mortimer Carter, Jr.; trigonometry, Philip Weeks Foster; mechanical drawing, Ralph Butler Bird, Fred Mortimer Carter, Jr.; Philip Weeks Foster, Hunter Ulrich Light, Earl Tappan Stannard.

The following prize winners were also announced:
Draper prizes for selected declamations, \$20, \$12, \$8—Frederick Sewall Bale, Asbury Park, N. J., first; Joseph Augustine O'Connor, Lawrence, second; Henry Bartlett Stimson, New York, N. Y., third; committee of award: Rev. Frank Halsey Paradise, Medford; Bernard Perrin, Ph. D., LL. D., Yale University; John Winthrop Plattner, D. D., Andover.

Means prizes for original declamations, \$20, \$12, \$8—Lee James Perrin, New Haven, Conn., first; Alexander William Bannwart, Boston, second; Robert Lincoln Clark, Ansonia, Conn., third; committee of award: Rev. Calvin M. Clark, Haverhill; Everett S. Stackpole, D. D., Bradford; Clarence E. Kelley, A. B., Haverhill.

Robinson prizes for extemporaneous debate, \$10, \$10, \$10—Robert Lincoln Clark, Ansonia, Conn.; William Wentworth Thayer, Concord, N. H.; Henry Bartlett Stimson, New York, N. Y.; committee of award: George H. Poor, Esq., Andover; Prof. Charles O. Day, D. D., Andover; Mr. John L. Brewster, Andover.

The Cook prizes for excellence in Greek, \$15, \$10, \$5—Frederick Sewall Bale, Asbury Park, N. J., first; Cornelius Francis Sullivan, Lawrence, second; John Francis Stimson, Plainfield, N. J., third; committee of award: William Gallagher, A. M., Ph. D., head master of Thayer Academy, South Braintree, Mass.; Charles Alfred Pitkin, A. M., Ph. D., master in Thayer academy.

The Valpey prizes, Latin and Greek composition, \$10, \$10—Greek: Charles Pomeroy Otis, Andover, committee of award: George Russell Noyes, Ph. D., instructor of English and Russian in the University of California, Latin: Cornelius Francis Sullivan, Lawrence; honorable mention: William Thompson Bacon, Derry, Conn. committee of award: Prof. Charles H. Forbes, Phillips academy; John L. Phillips, B. A., Phillips academy.

Wadsworth prizes for excellence in physics, \$10—John Joseph Donovan, North Andover; committee of award: Edwin T. Brewster, M. A., instructor in Natural Sciences in Phillips academy.

Judge Bishop, chairman of the board of trustees of Phillips Academy, made an announcement during the exercises in the morning which caused an unlimited amount of enthusiasm. This was the election by the board of trustees at their meeting Tuesday of Registrar Alfred E. Stearns to the position of vice-principal of the school. Mr. Bishop's statement was greeted with round after round of applause, which indicated how popular Mr. Stearns is with the student body and younger alumni, as well as with the townspeople in general.

Alumni Dinner.
Following the exercises at the Chapel, a reception of the alumni was held in Room 9 of the Academy building, while the class of 1892 held a reunion in Room 4. There were 11 enthusiastic members of this class present and they did their level best to live matters up previous to their meeting Tuesday of Registrar Alfred E. Stearns to the position of vice-principal of the school. Mr. Bishop's statement was greeted with round after round of applause, which indicated how popular Mr. Stearns is with the student body and younger alumni, as well as with the townspeople in general.

Shortly before 1 o'clock the speakers, Faculty of Phillips Academy and the Theological Seminary, fathers of the members of the graduating class, invited guests, the alumni and members of the graduating class filed up stairs and took their seats at the tables. Prayer was offered by Rev. Henry G. Spalding, of Boston, class of '58.

Then the class of '92 gave a cheer for itself, and an old Andover yell which has not been heard on the campus for a good many years. The boys of '02, not to be outdone, gave a cheer for 1902 and the school and one for '92. Then they sang several of the school songs. The dinner, a splendid one, was served by Tanner of Haverhill.

At the post prandial exercises, the first thing in order was the report of the Nominating committee, as given by Rev. Frederic Palmer of Andover, class of 1895. The following was the report and all the officers were elected unanimously: President, Rev. Alexander McKenzie, 1855, Cambridge; vice-presidents, Rev. Henry G. Spalding, '58, Boston, Dr. Herbert C. Bullard, 1892, North Attleboro, Dr. Azel Ames, 1864, Wakefield; Henry L. Kauten, 1867, Detroit, Mich.; George H. Cross, 1892, Exeter, N. H.; Louis C. Penfield, 1885, Chicago, Ill.; George H. Nettleton, 1892, New Haven, Conn.; secretary, George T. Eaton, '73, Andover; treasurer, Frederick C. Newton, 1893, Andover; executive committee, George W. W. Dove, 1853, Andover, James H. Ropes, 1885, Cambridge, Fred H. Moore, 1880, Boston, Perley F. Gilbert, 1890, Andover.

President Desmond Fitzgerald, 1863, of the Alumni Association, who presided at the banquet, next presented Mr. Eaton, secretary of the association who had something to offer from an alumnus. Mr. Eaton spoke of one of the most distinguished classes of the Academy, that of 1857, and of one of its most prominent members, E. B. Converse, a lawyer at New York and a resident of Englewood, N. J., who had presented the

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North Andover News.

Miss Lillian Hamilton visited in Haverhill Friday.

Work has commenced upon the new vault at the selectmen's office.

A number from town attended the union picnic at Canobie lake today.

Walter Carney spent Monday and Tuesday among friends in Boston.

Miss Annie French has returned to her summer home here from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carney of Middlesex street passed Tuesday at Salem.

Police court will be held this afternoon, cases of importance are to be heard.

Michael Regan and daughters, Miss Margaret and Miss Katherine Regan of Merrimack street, will pass the months of July and August at Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrissey of Osgood street are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

John Duncan of New Haven, Conn., is visiting at the home of his parents on Pleasant street.

Henry Reardon of Lynn was a recent visitor at the residence of John Connelley on Main street.

A new car has been added to the North Andover and Methuen line of the Boston and Northern. It is the same as those added to the Andover line last year and is an open car.

The Girls' Friendly society held a regular meeting Monday evening with Miss Edna Barry at her home in the Centre. The success of the recent fair was found to be a great financial one as well as a social success.

Mrs. J. S. C. Morton, a sister of M. T. Wadlin of Maple Avenue is visiting her brother at his residence. Mrs. Morton is quite an elderly lady, but is very spry for her years and keeps herself abreast of the times, being a very interesting lady in conversation. Mrs. Morton formerly lived at Canobie lake, N. H., but she has recently moved from that place to Maplewood in Malden.

The Rescue lodge of Good Templars held their regular meeting Tuesday evening. In the absence of Chief Templar Frank Manchester, Miss Almir Lang served in that capacity. One member was admitted to membership. Reports from the several committees upon the picnic which is to be held on July 19th were heard. Many members were not present as they were attending the meeting of the district lodge.

The Bradstreet colony of U. O. P. F., held their regular meeting in their rooms in the Odd Fellows building Monday evening. There was a large number of members present at the meeting. Only routine business was transacted. Following the meeting a very nice course of refreshments was served by the committee in charge. The refreshments consisted of ice cream, cake and coffee, strawberry short cake and other delicacies. The committee in charge follows: James Duerdon, chairman, Mrs. Henry Webster, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Thornton, Emma Trulan.

At the regular meeting of the Olivet chapter, Epworth League on Monday evening the regular election of officers took place. The following were elected into office: President, Walter H. Paul; first vice president, Mrs. Maria Jenkins, chairman of the spiritual department; second vice president, Ellis Glover, chairman of the mercy and help department; third vice president, Frank R. Bean, chairman of the literary department; fourth vice president, Mrs. Walter H. Paul, chairman of the social department; secretary, Frank W. Abbott; treasurer, Charles W. Hinckman; organist, Miss Susie Hinckman.

The annual reception of the Alumni association of the Barker Free school of West Boxford, was tendered to the members of the graduating class Friday evening. The affair took place in Columbia hall of that place. Many people were present from North Andover and other places and the occasion was one of great enjoyment to all and one long to be remembered by those of the graduating class in whose honor the reception was held. The floor for dancing was in charge of Floor Director William Cole, '93, president of the association; assistant floor director, William B. Chadwick, '96; aids, Alfred K. Nason, '93, J. Walter Nason, '99, Harry L. Cole, '99, and H. Dana Killam, '99.

The Stereoscopic lecture given in Stevens hall, Friday evening, under the auspices of the North Andover Improvement society was fairly well attended. The lecturer, James H. Bowditch, proved to be a very interesting personage and he made his lecture on "Roadside Improvement," a very instructive one. With the aid of his assistant he showed upon the screen some very fine pictures of roadside improvement and also views of natural spots which could not be improved or approached by artificial means. He also portrayed in contrast to these some very bare stretches of roadway of a dreary and forlorn appearance. The lecture lasted about an hour and thirty minutes.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church collected a very successful game party in the church vestry on Tuesday evening. The party was well attended by members of the Christian Endeavor together with their friends. Fourteen tables were set for the playing of as many different games, into which those present entered with great enjoyment. In finding partners for the evening the committee in charge supplied neat little cards with the number of the table to go to and the set in which one was to play. These cards were neatly gotten up with a bow of patriotic ribbon of red, white and blue. The games which were played were: Connect Four, Grand Boy, Dominoes, Spider and the Fly, Parcheesi, Lotto, Battle of Manila, Marble Game, Halma, Bicycle race, Yankee Letter Blocks, Office Boy, Authors, and Happy Days in Old New England. Following the playing of the games a neat course of refreshment was served by the committee in charge assisted by others present. The refreshments consisted of ice cream and cake and other delicacies. The committee in charge was, Edward W. A. Holt, chairman; Carl Stowers, Miss Grace I. Barker, Miss Lettie Drew, and Miss Carrie Adams.

A large number from town attended the circus in Lawrence, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Leitch of this town attended the marriage of Alexander A. Davis and Miss Jennie Rhodes which took place in Lawrence Wednesday.

J. H. Eugley of Augusta, Me., an official in the Maine insane hospital, situated at that place, is a visitor at the residence of his brother, Henry B. Eugley on Belmont street, for a few days.

The marriage of Charles Herbert Morrill, son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles P. Morrill, of Elm street, and a well known and very popular young man, to Miss Mary Elizabeth Wardwell of Ber-Hill, N. H., took place Tuesday at Newton, Mass.

John J. Donovan, of Sargent street, took part in the 36th annual speaking of selected orators for the Draper prizes at the Phillips Andover academy on Wednesday evening. He chose a selection, entitled "The Man Without a Country," E. E. Hale.

Arthur W. Bassett of Osgood street has received official notification that he has been appointed rural mail carrier for route No. 1, and his brother, Leon H. Bassett, has received the appointment as substitute. Mr. Bassett takes up his duties July 1st.

The fire alarm system has been put in order; at Monday's fire it was only the down town bell that refused to ring.

The Bethany Workers met at the home of Miss Susie Hinckman on Railroad street Monday evening. Only routine business was transacted.

A number of people from town attended the recital of Organist Whitman of St. Paul's church held in Pilgrim hall, Lawrence, Monday evening.

Harry Hudson of Stevens street has returned after spending a week in New York, awaiting the arrival of his brother from England on the steamer "Teutonic."

Monday afternoon Chief Marvin arrested a man from Lawrence for bicycle riding on the sidewalks. He was brought before Judge Frye in police court Monday afternoon and was fined \$3 for the offence.

Lucius Bassett of Orange, Mass., has returned to his home in that place after spending a few days in town at the residence of Mrs. Angie Bassett in the River district.

On next Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock the Standard Bearers will meet at the Methodist parsonage. An ice cream social will be held, free to members and to all those who intend to join the society at this meeting.

Ernest Tracy was at his home on High street over Sunday. He was accompanied by a friend, Lewis Barrett, of Leviston, Me. They go with their company, the California Minstrel, from Lowell to Plymouth this week.

On next Saturday afternoon the Blue Stockings play against the Woburn High school baseball team. The game will no doubt be a very interesting one. It will be the first important game which the Blues have played at home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Leach and daughter Alice of Amesbury visited at the residence of Luther S. Ellis on High street Sunday. They made the trip from Amesbury over the road by automobile.

Mr. Leach is an extensive builder of carriage and automobile bodies of the place mentioned.

Joseph Rand of Water street, for a number of years employed at the Central market, John F. Bennett, proprietor, has resigned his position and will learn the machinist trade at the Davis and Furber Machine company's works. Joe has been a very popular clerk at the market and the patrons will be very sorry to lose him.

Police court was in session Saturday afternoon commencing at 2 o'clock. The officers were in, one charged with the larceny of tools at the Davis and Furber Machine shop. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$5. The other offender was charged with being a vagrant with no visible means of support. He was arrested on Saturday morning by Officer Shearer on Ashland street. He was acting in a very suspicious manner. He gave the name of Bradley and was sent up for 60 days.

The Rivals defeated the Red Stockings in a closely contested game Friday afternoon on Grogan's grounds. The game was played for 13 innings as the score continued throughout each inning to be the same for both sides. The resultant score was 15 to 13 in favor of the Rivals. During the game William Mitchell received a bad hit over the left eye with the ball, making an ugly cut. Murphy struck out 16 men. Davis struck out seven men. Murphy made the only home run of the game. The umpires were Boy Tuttle and William J. Tooley, Jr. The line up of the teams was as follows: Red Stockings—Davis, P. Reardon, J. Welch, L. L. Murphy, B. Gile, S. Smith, B. Mitchell, T. Welch, C. and Anderson and Dillon. Rivals—J. Murphy, P. Bolton, C. Coppinger, C. F. Coppinger, H. Hargreave, B. Kelley, J. Foley, R. J. Kelly, C. and Carter.

Revolutionary Night was observed at the meeting of the Grange on Tuesday evening in a very patriotic manner. A very excellent program was offered. Different members of the grange offered numbers. The program consisted of the song entitled, "The Star Spangled Banner," by Mrs. Frank Greenwood, Miss Corn Bassett, Miss Grace E. Barker, Mrs. John Barker, Henry Nason, Peter Holt. A poem was read by Miss Mary Berry, composed for the occasion by Mrs. Charlotte Farnum, entitled, "Revolutionary Women." A poem read by Miss Fannie Rea, "Eve of Bunker Hill," song, "The Battle Cry of Freedom," tableaux, "A Queer Trio," acted out by George Rea, Jr., and read by Miss Ida Carleton; tableaux, "Women of Lexington," Mrs. George C. Chadwick and Mrs. H. Bassett, Arthur Bassett and Harry Greenwood took part. Song, "Revolutionary Tea," Arthur Bassett, "America," sung by all. The feast committee elected for Children's night, which comes on July 15th, is as follows: George Barker, chairman; Miss Blanche Whitman, Miss Alice Weston, Mrs. Edwin W. Moody, Jacob Barker, and Leon H. Bassett. The committee for Children's night is: Miss Mary A. Berry, Miss Ethel M. Coolidge, Miss Mary E. Towne, Mrs. Calvin Rea, Miss Rea, D. Foster and Miss Mary A. Barker.

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Wedding.

FULLER-CURRIER.

A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fuller in the Kimball district Tuesday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Mabel Frances Fuller, was united in marriage with John Alva Currier, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron A. Currier of Prescott street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles Noyes of the Old North church the nuptial bonds were tied at the hour of three in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and invited friends. The parlor of the Fuller house where the ceremony was performed was tastefully decorated with roses and peonies placed in a background. The bride was prettily attired in a gown of white mousseline de soie, and carried a hand bouquet of white roses. The couple were unattended. The bride was the recipient of a large number of elegant presents. Following the marriage ceremony a short informal reception was held from 3.30 o'clock till 5.30 o'clock. Refreshments were served. The happy couple left for their home at 6 o'clock, and after a short wedding tour they will return home on Thursday, leaving on Friday for Bedford City, Va., where they will take up their residence for the present. Mr. Currier is an inspector of textiles for the United States government and is for the present stationed at Bedford City, Va. Guests were present at the ceremony from Haverhill, Lynn, Boston, Canton, Portsmouth, Gloucester, Manchester, Mass., Roanoke, Va., Lawrence, Andover, and from town.

DRIVER-RYAN.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Ryan, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Ryan of Main street to Charles H. Driver the well known printer of Water street, son of James Driver of Osgood street took place Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock at St. Michael's parochial residence on Main street. Rev. Fr. James J. Gilday officiating. The bride was becomingly attired in a dress of white mousseline cut en train and trimmed with white satin ribbon and lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Alecia Ryan, a sister of the bride was in attendance as bridesmaid. The couple were attired in a gown of pink mousseline cut en train and trimmed with white lace. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas. The groom was attended by Patrick J. Healey as best man.

Following the ceremony in the evening from the hours of 6.30 to 9 a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother at 515 Main street. Mr. and Mrs. Driver were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Driver's mother. The reception was attended by a large number of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties. Much merriment and gaiety reigned during the evening. A supper of ice cream was served. The guests were present from New York, Boston, Methuen, Andover, Lawrence, Haverhill, Lowell and from town. The happy couple departed on the 9.30 train for Boston and after an extended wedding trip will take up their residence for the present at the home of Joseph L. Leighton on Pleasant street. Many of their friends accompanied them to the depot and as far as Andover giving them a grand send-off.

CURTIN-McDERMOTT.

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock Miss Margaret Curtin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Curtin of East Water street was united in marriage with Michael H. McDermott, a well known young man of town. The union took place at St. Michael's parochial residence and was witnessed by only immediate friends and relatives. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. James J. Gilday of St. Michael's church. The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of white mousseline trimmed with lace and ribbon. She was attended by her sister, Miss Nellie Curtin as bridesmaid. The groom was attended by his brother, Hugh B. McDermott of Methuen, as best man. Following the ceremony the united couple made their way to the home of the bride's parents on East Water street where a family gathering was held in honor of the happy occasion. In the evening from 8 o'clock till 10 a reception was held when many friends and relatives of the happy couple were their guests. Refreshments were served and a general enjoyable time was had by all. The bride received a large number of beautiful and elegant presents. At the reception guests were present from Lawrence, Methuen, North Andover and a number of other places. After a short wedding trip the happy couple will take up their residence in the newly built and finely furnished house of Mr. McDermott on Sutton street.

THE NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE.

The new schedule of summer arrangement of train service went into effect upon the Boston & Maine railway system Monday morning. The time is subject to change and corrections without notice. The trains scheduled going west to Boston leave North Andover on weekdays as follows: A. M. 7.14, 8.10, 8.55. (Stops to leave passengers only) 9.10, 10.16, 10.57, 11.57, 12.02. (Goes to North Lawrence only). P. M. 1.04, 2.36, 3.56, 5.23, 6.37, 7.00 and 9.21. (Goes to North Lawrence only). Boston to North Andover trains leave Boston at the following times: A. M. 8.16, 11.58, P. M. 12.38 (To North Lawrence only), 4.13, 5.37, 6.43, 7.33. (To North Lawrence only) and 8.57. Those trains going to Haverhill leave North Andover at the following time: Weekdays A. M. 7.07 (To Portland), 7.55, 8.32 (To Portland), 10.38, 11.40. P. M. 12.55 (To Dover), 3.15. (To Merrimack), 4.21. (To No. Berwick), 5.47, 6.02, 7.06, 8.06, 10.43, 12.18. Sundays A. M. 8.45 (To Portland), P. M. 1.04, 3.30, 6.19 (To No. Berwick), 6.59 and 9.45.

Walter Wrigley of Stonington street has accepted a position in the grocery store of A. P. Currier.

Mrs. Peter Barrington together with her sons Albert and Fred spent Sunday visiting in Salem and Lynn.

The North Andovers defeated the Combinations on Grogan's grounds Saturday afternoon by a score of 23 to 6.

Rev. E. E. Ayers of the Methodist church will take for his subject at the regular morning service next Sunday, "The True and the False in Christian Science."

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FAIR OF THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Girls' Friendly society of the St. Paul's church, conducted a very successful fair in the parish house, on Thursday evening. The occasion was one of great pleasure to all who were in attendance and there was certainly a very large number of patrons of the affair. The fair was opened in the afternoon and many took advantage to come when the crowd was not so large, when they might patronize the tables at their pleasure. In the evening the entertainment drew a large crowd who were not at all disappointed. The tables were well patronized and those who took part in entertaining received hearty applause.

Those who had charge of the several tables were as follows: Mystery table—Miss Lottie Goff and Miss Mildred Yost. Ice cream—Mrs. Duval, Miss Helen Somerville and Miss Louise Barwell. Fancy table—Miss Minnie Goff and Miss Alice Drew. Grab bag—Miss Mary Sutton and Miss Ruth Towne. Candy table—Miss Lottie Knowles and Miss Francis Sutton. The program of entertainment was in charge of the new rectory of the parish, Rev. H. U. Monroe. A feature of the entertainment was the cornet solos of Fred Banan, Jr., of Lawrence, who had luckily been secured to aid in the entertainment. The program follows: Piano duet, Spanish Dance, Moritz Moszkowski, Misses Lottie Knowles, Alice Drew, Cornet solo, "Forever With the Lord," Gounod, Fred Banan, Jr., accompanied by Mr. Redmond, Vocal solo, "Dreaming Still Dreaming," J. R. Thomas, Chantade "Angels," Miss Emma Watts, accompanied Cornet solo, "Holy City," Stephen Adams, by Dr. Redmond, Fred Banan, Jr., accompanied by Mr. Redman.

The entertainment was terminated by a drama presented by a number of young ladies of the society who took their parts well and their endeavors were greatly appreciated by their friends.

"The Greatest Plague in Life," a farce was presented with the following cast of characters: Mrs. Bustle, Miss Nellie Meeserve; Mary Bustle, Miss Nellie Mitchell; Grandmother Bustle, Miss Mary Frayne; Biddy O'Rafferty, Miss Gertrude Hamlin; Kitty Clover, Miss Annie Wright; Miss Moonshine, Miss Minnie Goff; Miss Bridget McGuire, Miss Gertrude Hamlin; Hazy Black, Miss Louise Barwell.

The committee who had the affair in charge is to be greatly complimented upon the great success of their efforts. The committee consisted of Mrs. John H. Sutton, Miss Edna Barry and Miss Ethel A. Jacobs.

PLEASING RECITAL.

Mr. B. H. Humphrey gave a pleasing recital on Tuesday evening at his home 49 Beverly street. The affair was a very interesting one and was well attended by the parents and interested friends of the pupils of Mr. Humphrey. The efforts of those who took part in the program were well received and generally applauded. Mr. Humphrey is a teacher of the violin. The program follows: March, "Sound the Trumpets," A. Vincent, Mr. Humphrey, Harry Gould, Harrison Carey, Theme, Lily Dale Fantasia, A. E. Harris, Susan Wentworth, J. Pridham, Persian March, Albert Emmett, Waltz, Waves of the Danube, D. M. H. May, Master Harvey Humphrey, Piano solo, Happy Thoughts, Elsie Wentworth, Serenade Badine, Gabriel-Marie, Elizabeth May Humphrey, pianist.

Y. P. M. C. MEETING.

The Young People's Musical club met at the home of Edward Kelly on Water street Thursday evening. A fine musical program was presented. The following program was rendered: Vocal solo, Miss Gertrude Brown, My Home Down on the Farm, Frank Conway, Violin solo, Miss Lottie Jenkins, Trios Sonatas Pachelbel et Brillantes, C. H. Danneberg, Piano solo, Miss Lilla Johnson, Ronds, Miss Matilda Jensen, Sprites, F. Clarke, Vocal solo, Miss Lilla Hamilton, The Mission of the Rose, Cowen, Piano solo, Miss Helen Costello, Dance of the Sylphs, Carl Heins, Piano solo, Miss Blanche Wason, Monastery Bells, Lepebure Wason, Piano solo, Master Eddie Kelly, The Educande de Sorrento, Nichola Celega, Master Herbert Condon, Tulip, Heinrich Licher, Violin solo, Master Fred Morton, Gavotte Stephanie, Henri Ernest, Vocal duet, Miss Jensen and Miss Hamilton, Gentle Be Thy Slumbers, S. Schlesinger.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MUSICAL CLUB.

The Young People's Musical club held an open meeting in the vestry of the Congregational church Monday evening. It was the first open meeting which the club has conducted, and it proved to be a very successful one in every particular. There was a very large attendance of the friends and relatives of the members of the club. Those who took part carried off their numbers in a very praiseworthy manner. Following the presentation of the program the members of the club adjourned to the smaller vestry, where refreshments of ice cream, cake and fruit were served by Walter Wrigley and Miss Blanche Hanson. The program of the evening follows: Piano solo, Master Burt Coan; piano solo, Miss Lilla Johnson; vocal solo, Master Charles Shackleton; piano solo, Miss Helen Costello; piano solo, Master Edward Kelly; vocal duet, Miss Lilla Hamilton and Miss Matilda Jensen; piano solo, Miss Jennie Rextrow; vocal solo, Miss Gertrude Brown; violin solo, Miss Lottie Jenkins; piano solo, Master Alvin Stiles; piano solo, Miss Matilda Jensen; piano solo, Miss Lilla Hamilton.

The Stevens Stars defeated the Merrimacks in their base ball contest Saturday afternoon by the close score of 11 to 10. The game was a very interesting one.

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Our annual June Clearance Sale of Spring Goods will commence FRIDAY, JUNE 20, and continue through Saturday, the 21st. It is unnecessary to say that it will be larger and better than any that have preceded it, for it contains values that have never before been equalled. The goods cannot be duplicated at wholesale for the prices at which we offer them and will make a powerful appeal to every careful buyer, either for present use or in anticipation of future needs.

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WOMEN'S MARRIAGE NAMES.

Why do blushing brides assume their husbands' names on the wedding day and forfeit their own forever after? The cynic's reply, that they have little else to lose, and are bound, for decorum sake, to make some small sacrifice for the well-meaning man who offers up so much for them on the hymeneal altar, is far too flippant to be considered seriously.

The plain truth is that this time-honored custom is one of the oldest relics of a barbarous epoch, when a woman was a mere appendage.

She was an integral portion of the gens or family, now of her father, now of her brother, now of her husband. She had no independent entity of her own. Hence she took over the surname of her legal protector, giving up that of her father.

Names were a label indicating ownership, and changed accordingly. This is so true that wherever woman's rights were acknowledged—as was the case among many wild tribes—the child received the mother's name, or the appellation of her gens, not that of the male parent, and consequently, when the two peoples were laying waste each other's territory, fathers and sons were generally fighting in opposite camps.

Thus the head of the family has always bestowed his name on the members, and the first outward sign of female emancipation, when it did come, will be the maintenance by young wives of their maiden name. They were often untie surnames when they bind hands and hearts, and "double-barreled" names were as plentiful as blackberries in autumn.

They have usually a distinguished ring about them as if they were titles of nobility. Sometimes they are alarmingly long; that, however, is not the fault of the system, but only of the country.

It was a terrible law-breaker; for instance, that was offered to the bride and bridegroom in the invitation issued by the two families. Vandenhoogstraeten and Kinkervankost-drospingakachdren. When these two families were welded by a hyphen never ventured near the temptation.

In Russia the lady's patronymic always differs somewhat from that of her husband. Countess Tolstoy's name, for example, is Tolstaya in the nominative. One was addressing an envelope to the married couple her name would then be Tolstoy and his Tolstomsky.

At first sight the Russian ladies seem to have stolen a march on their English sisters, and to have saved some appearance of independence. But this fancy is illusive. In Russia, the family name, when borne by males, is a substantive, and can stand by itself; when the bearer is a lady, it is a mere adjective, which needs a substantive expressed or understood in order to give it vitality and existence.

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SHE KNEW.

"Seems to me that the rising generation is rising pretty fast," said the bachelor, who expects soon to become a benedict, after his friends had given him up as hopeless. "I was out walking with my intended the other day.

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and her small niece, a girl not over seven years of age, accompanied us. Naturally the conversation, owing to the near approach of our wedding day, took a turn that was interesting to two of us, but not to the third.

"Finally I turned to the young lady who is to be my bride, and said with a smile:

"I suppose all this talk is over the little one's head?"

"Before she could reply, the nose of the little one went up several degrees, and she answered, icily, her words falling like so many hailstones on a tin roof:

"Oh, don't mind me! I know what it is! I've been in love myself!"

"It was several minutes before I succeeded in catching my breath."—Detroit Free Press.

ROCK-BOUND CAVERNS, ROARING CASCADES, TO BE SEEN IN THE WHITE MOUNTAINS.

America has been amply blessed by nature, and the glory and grandeur of her endowments can be witnessed in every portion of the country; the great deserts of Arizona; the massive cliffs of the Canadian Rockies; the thundering cataract of Niagara and a score of others have their places in nature's list of wonders, but for the vacationist, far surpassing all of them in true, sublime and scenic beauty is the famed section of the Appalachian Range, known as the White Mountains.

The tall alpine peaks of Mt. Washington and the larger mountains, the deep ravines, the roaring cascades and glittering waterfalls, which seem in their reflection to send forth from their sparkling waters the brilliant rays of the sun itself; the natural grottoes and large fissures, and then as a fit setting for this wild and rugged beauty, slumbering beneath the sky-scraping rocks of Mt. Washington, are the placid lakes of the fertile Franconia Region, and the green valleys of the Pemigewasset.

For the person then who wished to leave the turmoil of the city and find nature, and thus "commune with the visible forms," then the White Mountains territory are the looked for section.

Send six cents in stamps to the General Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston, for the beautiful Partfolio, "Mountains of New England" and two cents for "Among the Mountains." Also secure the "Bird's Eye View from Mount Washington," a new colored map showing the mountains and territory as viewed from the summit of Mt. Washington. It will be mailed to any address upon receipt of six cents in stamps.

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